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PREFACE.

The contents of this volume indicate a steady and remarkably gratifying progress by the people of New Jersey in the years 1762, 1763, 1764 and 1765, in the arts of peace, and in economic development.

True, their commerce was menaced by French war vessels, but the American privateers made gallant reprisals, and Sandy Hook was the rendezvous of many a valuable trophy wrested from the enemy, until the treaty of 1763 brought a brief respite to the arms of Great Britain and France. Till then, the Northern frontiers of the English settlements were in constant dread of French and Indian incursions. In 1762 New Jersey passed an act for enlisting and maintaining an effective force of 665 volunteers, a large proportion of whom fell victims to the wily savages beyond Niagara. Our own borders were threatened by the restless Indians of Pennsylvania in the fall of 1763, necessitating the maintenance of a frontier guard of two hundred men along the Delaware, during the ensuing winter, to protect Sussex and Hunterdon counties from incursions. The Indians of New Jersey, gathered at Brotherton under the prudent and sagacious John Brainerd, kept the peace, and were protected by the whites. The friendly Conestoga Indians at Lancaster, Pa., on the other hand, were treacherously and most cruelly massacred by the palefaces, whereby new trouble was brewed for the whole region. It was not until the spring of 1765 that all fears of Indian uprisings were allayed.

The arrival of William Franklin early in 1763 marked the beginning of a very successful and harmonious administration, to continue for thirteen years, but destined to witness the end of royal dominion in the Province.

New Jersey was favored in having James Parker as Comptroller of the Post Offices in North America, with his office at Woodbridge. He was a man of broad views, and anxious to improve the postal facilities of the subordinate offices, such as New York and Philadelphia, to which end he inaugurated, with the year 1764, a system of mails between those points three times a week, "if the weather permits." Gov. Franklin urged the importance of securing better postal facilities by the "Establishment of Ferries, the Erection of Bridges, the Improvement of Roads, and whatever else may contribute to prevent delays and interruptions to the Posts in passing." With commendable alacrity the Legislature responded, passing special acts for laying out a road from Newark to Powles Hook (now Jersey

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City), with ferries over the Passaic and Hackensack rivers, for a more direct road from Philadelphia through South Jersey, and for the appointment of Commissioners to lay out new and better highways between Philadelphia and New York. As the people were still too poor to bear the expense of these improvements by taxation, the merchants of those cities were appealed to for subscriptions. "The long wished for ferry" was "established and kept across the North River from Powles Hook to New York," in 1764, by an enterprising citizen, unaware that a similar ferry had been maintained almost exactly a century earlier, by virtue of a Patent granted by Gov. Philip Carteret. The increasing number of letters in the Philadelphia post office for residents of New Jersey indicated a steady growth of population within our borders, and doubtless led to the establishment of an office in Trenton in 1764. Post riders seem to have met with encouragement for not only continuing, but extending their routes for the delivery of letters and newspapers.

The rapid development of the iron industry of the Province is indicated by the frequent references to old and to many new mines, forges and furnaces, all of which appear to have been busy. Andover, Anderson, Kingwood, Union, Hacklebarny, Musconetcong, Durham, Oxford, Ringwood, Charlottenburg, Lamaton, Squire's Point and Greenwich are some of the names in Northern New Jersey herein mentioned—most of them familiar to this day, but the Mount Holly iron works, and the iron works on Ancocus creek have long ago disappeared, with the exhaustion of the bog ore there used, and the extensive mining operations in Morris, Sussex, Warren and Hunterdon counties. The account of the "Trenton steel works" seems very modern reading. A perusal of the numerous advertisements relating to these various enterprises will give a very fair idea of the condition of the iron industry in New Jersey one hundred and forty years ago —the number of furnaces and forges, and the appliances for running them. It is to the credit of those early operators that the modern owners of those regions are constrained to admit that it is very seldom that a new mine is sunk without disclosing the presence of former workers, so thoroughly did those pioneers explore and develop the mining properties.

While the iron industry was advancing by leaps and bounds, much faith was manifested also in the copper mines at Rocky Hill[1] and at New Brunswick. We are assured by an advertisement that the latter mine was (in 1765) yielding "excellent solid oar," and that a smelting house was *to be* built. After the fashion of mining enterprises generally, the improvements were only in contemplation.

The Legislature sought to encourage new industries by offering

[1]Most exhaustively described in Bulletin No. 225, of the Geological Survey of the United States, August, 1904.

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bounties for the raising of hemp and flax, and the culture of silk. The former project met with much success, but the planting of mulberry trees was no more productive of silk than was the *morus multicaulis* craze of 1839 and 1840.

The student of economic conditions in those days will derive a great deal of information from the advertisements of farms, houses and other properties for sale, with their descriptions of the residences and other buildings, the land under cultivation, the orchards of apple, peach and other trees, the cattle, horses and farm appliances. The people were seeking better and more improved modes of living and working—often, as the desired sales suggest, in advance of their ability to pay. But progress is usually made through and over failures, and the Province at large reaped the benefits of these attempts, which sometimes were beyond their day. The farms advertised are better than formerly, and new tracts are offered in remoter districts of the Province.

The lawyer interested in tracing the title to lands where early deeds are missing will often find a helpful clue in reading the descriptions of the location, area, and sometimes of the metes and bounds of the properties advertised for sale in the following pages, and the advertisements generally will be of absorbing interest to those engaged in studying family history.

The merchants and manufacturers also had their vicissitudes, then as now. It was in response to a very general demand that the Legislature in 1765 enacted a statute for "the relief of insolvent debtors." Within six months more than one hundred and fifty persons availed themselves of its provisions. Long and ill-judged credits were too often the cause of these failures. Says a cynical and impatient merchant, in appealing to his debtors in 1762 to come forward and settle, "If I trust some of my customers one month, they will scold if I demand it in nine or ten."

Education is making steady progress. The "College of New Jersey" is graduating larger classes each year, and the importance of the Princeton institution is recognized by the newspapers of the day, which are frequently publishing news items relating to it. There are some indications, indeed, of the existence of a judicious "literary bureau" to keep the public well informed concerning the condition and prospects of the thriving young College. A grammar school is established at Princeton in 1764, under the auspices of the trustees and faculty, and in the same year is printed at Woodbridge a History of the College, with a copperplate "Prospect of Nassau Hall."

There are other signs of an awakened interest in education. Although a schoolmaster at Pompton is accused of robbing a fellow lodger at the tavern, there are fewer accounts of escapades on the part of members of the calling. The advertisements are less uniformly

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persistent in seeking "sober" persons to take charge of schools, that qualification being apparently taken for granted. Moreover, there is developing a certain *esprit de corps* among the profession, as evinced by several teachers in the neighborhood of Moorestown in 1765, who resented the reported slurs on their ability by one of their number, and met together at that place to "vindicate our Cause, and make our Ability appear to this extraordinary Judge of Literature, as he affects." The assailant, thus challenged, prudently failed to appear; as he candidly confesses, "six to one is too great odds." Moreover, he denied having uttered the slanderous imputations alleged, as to *all* of his accusers, but with a sly intent to divide their forces he avows that as to two of them he did not declare that they were "ignorant and incapable of their Undertaking," "except I called him [sic] an Ass, and he called me what I never was." From which it would appear that the schoolmasters of those days did not always set a fair example in the amenities of good behavior and temperate speech. That some of them, at least, were hardworking, would appear by the announcement of John Reid, in 1764, that he had started a school at Trenton, which opened at "6 o'Clock A. M. with Morning and Evening Prayers." The Rev. Samuel Kennedy conducted a school at Baskinridge, which was long famous for the character of the men it turned out. Elizabethtown and Burlington also boasted superior schools, and the latter city witnessed the introduction in 1763 of probably the first co-educational school in New Jersey, if not in America. A special attraction offered by a schoolmaster at Second River, in 1762, was the fact that he would relieve parents of boarding-scholars from providing lodging and wood for their children, engaging himself to procure the same "on reasonable terms."

Gambling in the guise of lotteries was still encouraged, such schemes being advertised for the benefit of the Bound Brook bridge across the Raritan river; to meet the expenses of the commissioners to lay out highways; for St. Mary's church in Burlington; for St. Peter's church in Amboy; for the College of New Jersey, and for the erection of the Sandy Hook Lighthouse. (The lottery for St. John's church, Newark, mentioned on page 82, is doubtless for a Delaware church.)

Horse racing is becoming a favorite pastime, courses at Elizabethtown and Woodbridge being well patronized, and much attention is being paid to the improvement of the breed of horses, by the importation of choice thoroughbreds.

The famous George Whitefield again sweeps across New Jersey like a whirlwind, with his fiery preaching, arousing the consciences of thousands and tens of thousands to whom he speaks in the open air, with a voice reaching the farthest person in his vast audiences.

Wrecks are frequent along the Jersey coast—at Sandy Hook, Bar-

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negat, Cohansey and Cape May, as well as at intermediate points. It is a great boon to those that "go down to the sea in ships" when the Sandy Hook lighthouse sends out its welcome rays across the water, at once a welcome and a warning, in June, 1764. It was a New York enterprise, it is true, but unquestionably many a citizen of New Jersey bought tickets in the Lighthouse lottery, in order to promote a great public benefit—and incidentally in the hope of winning a prize.

We are initiated into the respective merits of "likely men and women, boys and girls," from Gambia, the Windward coast, the Guinea coast, and other points in Africa, who are offered for sale as slaves, suitable for house work or farm service. There is no hypocritical cant about the importation of these unfortunate wretches for the good of their immortal souls, or as a punishment for Ham's indiscretion. With brutal frankness they are classed simply as chattels. The advertisements of runaway negroes contain fewer indications than formerly of their barbarous treatment. There are no descriptions of chains or manacles, nor of branding, or other tokens of savagery on the part of former owners.

The details of the personal appearance, the names and the clothing of runaway servants, and escaped prisoners, continue to be among the most diverting of these old-time Newspaper Extracts. The Sheriff of Essex county who advertises two escaped prisoners in 1762 is evidently moved with feelings of indignation at their inconsiderate conduct, when he declares that one of them "talks thick and palavering when drunk, *which is as often as possible;*" and that the other is "a lusty, dirty, slouching Butcher, much Sun-burnt, wears a cut Wig, seldom combed, has sore Eyes, often drunk." Surely if they had any self-respect those two fellows would have returned to custody, merely to resent and prove false these bitter caricatures. Most of the runaway servants seem to be "talkative," or ready with the tongue, and were doubtless too intelligent to remain willingly in bondage, and too eager for a knowledge of the world to be tied long to one place. Was it a Lord in disguise who figured as a runaway "Servant Man, a Shoemaker by Trade?" Listen to his picturesque garb: "Had on, when he went away, a green Ratteen Coat, with a Collar, and flowered Metal Buttons, a white Swanskin Waistcoat, light brown Breeches, with brown Horn Buttons, light blue Yarn Stockings, and half-worn Calf-skin Shoes, one of them patched on the Toe, and yellow carved Buckles." It is easy to believe that many a romance and many a tragedy is hidden in these advertisements of runaway apprentices and servants, men and boys, women and girls: tales of offenses, trivial or serious, expiated by banishment and enforced servitude for a time; of younger sons voluntarily exiled to win fame and fortune single-handed in the new world; of rightful heirs feloniously spirited away beyond reach of their proper inher-

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itance, and sold into white slavery by heartless kinsmen; of broken fortunes and broken hearts, seeking solace or repair amid scenes far removed from their griefs. Surely there is much to be read here that does not appear on the surface, as revealing human weaknesses, infirmities and passions, that are much the same in 1904 as in 1762-5. But even as a curious study of social conditions in the former days these advertisements will repay a careful perusal.

That was a needed reform instituted at Elizabethtown in 1764, when it was resolved to reduce the cost of those functions by "dispensing with Scarfs, Gloves and Liquors."

Was "marriage a failure" in the seventh decade of the eighteenth century? If so, the fact was not exploited in the divorce court, but frankly in the columns of a newspaper in New York or Philadelphia, wherein the aggrieved husband warned all persons not to trust the errant or obstinate wife. In at least one case the wife advertised her husband, and gave public notice that she would pay no debts of his contracting. Without doubt most of these domestic infelicities were reconciled; but William Carter, of Trenton, was the only husband manly enough to proclaim the fact, and withdraw his embargo on his wife's contracting of debts.

We have here, also, the advertisement of the "Doctor" who cured blindness; the two-page list of goods for sale in what must have been a real "department store" at Burlington so long ago as 1764; the tale of the pedlar attacked and robbed on a lonely road; of the wonderful steer weighing 1700 lbs. killed at Elizabethtown in 1763; of sacrifice sales by assignees for the benefit of creditors; and of many other quaint and curious relations, some of which might date from yesterday, but all going to make up a vivid picture of life in New Jersey one hundred and forty years ago.

All these interests are suddenly overshadowed by the burning political question raised by the Stamp Act. The columns of the newspapers teem with criticisms, appeals, warnings, and denunciations of this bold measure of the British Parliament to assert its right to tax the Colonies for Imperial purposes. Fortunately, in New Jersey even the officials at least tacitly agreed to treat the Act with contempt. Governor Franklin was as non-committal as possible, but granted marriage licenses without the hated stamp. The Chief Justice, appointee of the Crown though he was, called a meeting of the Bar, and got from them a declaration that they would recognize writs that were unstamped, and that they would sooner sacrifice their practice than make use of stamps. The two men appointed to distribute the stamps in New Jersey promptly resigned, at the request of the citizens. A minor official in New Brunswick who evinced a disposition to enforce the Act was hanged in effigy, denounced as a traitor, and threatened with a more evil fate. Even so highly re-

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spected and honored a citizen as the Speaker of the Assembly was compelled to resign because he had not been as outspoken as desired in expressing hostility to the measure in the Stamp Act Congress. So the Stamp Act was never for a moment recognized or enforced in New Jersey, nor was there any serious attempt to put it into execution. Nevertheless, the people were prodigiously aroused over this threatened invasion of their liberties. Here began a contest between England and her Colonies only to end with their complete Independence. The development of this conflict will appear in the subsequent volumes of these Archives.

The long-promised History of New Jersey Printing and New Jersey Newspapers of the Eighteenth Century was substantially completed, when the manuscript was consumed in the Paterson fire of February 9-10, 1902. The material, which had been gathered during a period of ten years or more, had to be accumulated anew, but time and opportunity have not offered for re-writing the History, which is therefore again deferred to a later volume.

PATERSON, N. J., July 25, 1904.

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Newspaper Extracts.

I The subscriber, lived at the King's-Arms and Fountain tavern, in New-York, as a waiter, have taken the house wherein James Thompson lived, in New-Brunswick, now the sign of the White Hart, and has a compleat house and stable, where all gentleman travellers that will be pleased to favour him with their custom, will meet with genteel accommodations, by their Most Obedient Servant,

MICHAEL DUFF.

—*The New York Mercury, January* 4, 1762.

January 7.

TO BE SOLD,

A Plantation and tract of land situate near Trentown at the Falls of Delaware in the Province of Pennsylvania containing about 700 Acres lately belonging to William Allen Esq; the land is good, very well Timberd A tract of 1000 acres situate in Richfield Township or the great Swamp adjoining lands of William Logan, Joseph Pike and James Melvin. And a tract of land situate in Hilltown, adjoining lands of Thomas Jones, and James Irwin, Tavern-Keeper. Whoever inclines to purchase any of the said tracts may apply to Laurence Growden at Trevose in the County of Bucks who will make a good Title to the same upon payment of one third part of the Consideration money and giving Bond and mortgage of the Lands Purchased, payment of the remainder in any reasonable time

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with Interest.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 996, *January* 7, 1762.

Run away on the 30th of November last, from the Subscriber, living in the Township of Deptford, and County of Gloucester, in West New-Jersey, a Servant Lad, between 18 and 19 Years of Age, named William Butterworth, this Country born: Had on when he went away, An old light coloured Jacket, a Pair of new Buckskin Breeches, a new Felt Hat, an old fine Shirt, with a Patch on the Coller, one coarse Shirt, a Pair of Neats Leather Shoes, with Brass Buckles, old Sheep black Stockings, broke on the Knees. He is about 5 Feet high, of a yellowish Complexion, has long strait yellowish Hair; has taken his Master's Part of his Indenture with him, and has crossed the River into Pennsylvania. Whoever takes up and secures the said Servant, so as his Master may have him again, shall have Thirty Shillings Reward, and reasonable charges, paid by

Joseph Gibson

Springfield, Burlington County, January 4, 1762.

Absconded, the 14th Day of December last, one Joseph Macmein, a Weaver, a short thick-set Fellow, dark Eyes, short grey Hair, mostly wears a Cap, pale-faced, Pock-marked, speaks hoarse, mostly wears a Leather Apron, to hide his being much bursten, and appears to be about 50 Years of Age; his Wife (as he has lately married) went with him, her name is Mary, a short, thick-set Woman, flat-faced, redish Hair, and is about 30 Years of Age. They have clandestinely taken with them sundry Weaver's Implements a Bag with Feathers, and sundry other Things; likewise a small Horse and Mare, and went over Cooper's Ferry into Philadelphia, the 15th of December, and is supposed to be gone towards Kent County.

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Any Person that will, by a Letter, or otherwise, first give an Account of where he may be found, and brought to Justice, shall have Three Pounds Reward, paid by either of us,

Jonathan Fox, James Ginins

N. B. Any Person that will discover him, may have an Opportunity to send a Letter from Philadelphia to Burlington, and if directed to Mr. Lambert Barns's Care, he will immediately send it to the Subscribers.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1724, *January* 7, 1762.

Newark (in East Jersey) January 1, 1762. Monday last the Anniversary of the Festival of St. John the Evangelist, was observed here by the Antient and Honourable Society of Free Masons.[1] They walked in regular Procession from the Lodge to Church, where an excellent Sermon was preached, by the Reverend Mr. Brown,[2] from 1st Peter 2d Chapter, 15, 16, 17 verses. After Church they returned back to Dinner, accompanied by several of the Clergy and Magistrates, and concluded the Day in decent Mirth.—*The New York Mercury, January* 11, 1762.

To be Sold, by Richard Stevens David Newburn's fine Farm, on which the Ferry is kept, containing about 500 Acres, 270 of which are good low Land and Meadow, the rest exceeding fine Upland chiefly in Wood.—Also two Farms, containing about 300 Acres of Land, each near Paulins kiln, in East New-Jersey: Now in the Possession of Laurence Schnyder and Christopher Adams, being Part of a Tract said Stevens lately bought of Abraham Taylor, Esq; at Philadelphia.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 997, *January* 14, 1762.

[1] St. John's Lodge, No. 1.
[2] Rector of Trinity Episcopal church.

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January 21.

Doctor STORK,

SURGEON and OCULIST to Her Royal Highness the Princess Dowager of WALES,

Acquaints the public, that he is to continue in *Philadelphia* till the latter End of February next: such as are in need of his assistance, may apply to him at his Lodgings near the New Meeting-house in Arch-street.

We the Subscribers are induced, not only in Gratitude to Doctor STORK, but likewise for the Benefit of the Public to communicate the Recovery of our Sights from Blindness, by his Operations. . . . . This is to certify that I Thom Roberts of Hopewell, near Trenton, being deprived of Sight for two Years, was by Dr. Stork restored to it again.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 998, *January* 21, 1762.

New-York, January 25. The Storm on Sunday the 10th Inst. has made prodigious Devastations in several Parts of the Government of New Jersey. Five or six Mill-Dams upon one small Stream in the West Part of Woodbridge. A fine new Bridge built last Summer, and but just finished in the Fall, which cost above £300, across Raritan River, at a Place called Bound-Brook, was swept away, and some Pieces of it found 30 Miles below. At New-Brunswick, and the Landing, the Water was all over their lowest Streets, and many Stores and other Houses, with Goods therein damaged. As there had been Snow on the Ground, and a Thaw of three or four Days before the Storm came on, the Sea-Water rising so high prevented the Freshes going off so speedily as it otherwise would, and the great Rains falling at the same Time gives Room to think that more Damage is done throughout the Country, than we yet have Account of.

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Five Pounds Reward.

STRAYED or stolen on Saturday night, the 16th instant, from the premises of Nathan Haines, in Evesham, in the county of Burlington, West-New-Jersey. A young black Mare, with some white hairs in her forehead, one white hind foot; about 14 hands and an half high, trots and gallops; a new leather saddle with an English tree and no housings, supposed to be taken by a man who has lately come in these parts and has called himself by several names, as John, James and William Green, thought to be about 25 years of age, about 5 feet 7 inches high, fresh complexion, wears his own brown hair, says he is an Englishman, but thought to be an Irishman: Had on when he went away, a halfworn hat, brown cloath coat full trimmed, a black flowered velvet jacket, and drab coloured cloth breeches, white shirt, brown snuff coloured stockings, halfworn shoes; took with him a brown camblet coat, brown holland jacket, and a dark coloured bearskin great-coat with metal buttons. Whoever secures the said Mare and Saddle, so that the owner may have them again, shall have Fifty Shillings, and if the mare and thief both secured, so that the thief may be brought to justice, they shall receive the above reward of Five Pounds with reasonable charges paid by me,

Phila. Jan. 19, 1752. SAMUEL HEWLINGS

—*The New York Mercury, January* 25, 1762.

Prince Town, January 14, 1762.

MR. BRADFORD,

As a certain Letter lately published, said to be written by an Elder of the *Presbyterian* Church, has been imputed to me, and by some, as I have been informed, made a serious Matter, and improved to answer low party designs; I apprehend it not improper, for the satisfaction of such

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as were innocently, and not of choice, led into that opinion to declare that I neither wrote, nor corrected said Letter nor ever saw it before it was published. This declaration being judged necessary by several Gentlemen of sense, with whom I consulted, your publishing it in your Journal will oblige a considerable number, and among them, Sir,

Yours, &c,

SAMUEL FINLEY.

—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 999, *January* 28, 1762.

Prince Town, January 1, 1762.

PROPOSALS
For Printing by
SUBSCRIPTION,
A
COLLECTION
OF
SERMONS,
On a Variety of important SUBJECTS;
By the late Rev. and ingenious
Mr. SAMUEL DAVIES,
President of the College of *New-Jersey.*

And as several of the Author's Friends, in *Great-Britain,* have wrote their Opinion of the Expediency of Printing these Discourses in *England,* where they will be better and cheaper done, than here; the Manuscripts will be sent over in the Spring, and printed under the Inspection of the Rev. Mr. THOMAS GIBBONS of *London.* The Sermon preached on Mr. Davies's Death, by his Successor the Rev. Mr. President FINLEY, with some Additions, relative to the Character of the Deceased, will be prefixed to these Discourses, and also an Elegy on the Death of Mr. DAVIES, by Mr. GIBBONS himself. It is supposed that the Sermons will make up two or three Volumes in Octavo,

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which will be printed on good Paper, neatly bound and lettered; and as soon as done, a Number of them will be sent over to this Country, for the Subscribers, and others here. The Price cannot be now determined, only that it may be taken for granted, that they will not be dearer than Books of such Quality and Size generally are.

Subscriptions are taken in by William Bradford Printer in Philadelphia, Mr. Jonathan Baldwin Steward of the College at Prince Town, Mr. John Holt Printer at New York, and Mr. Henry Sherburne Jun. at Portsmouth in New-England.

The Subscribers are desired to make the proper Additions to their Names.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No. 999, January* 28, 1762.

Fair View, Jan 28, 1762.

To be sold by public Vendue, on Monday the 8th Day of March next, in the Borough of Bristol, all the real Estate of John Abraham De Normandie, late deceased, consisting of the House he lately lived in. . . . . Plans of the Land are to be seen at Andrew Reed's, Esq; in Trenton, Mr. Peter Bard's, at Mount-holly, Mr. Anthony De Normandie's, in Philadelphia, or by the Subscriber, who any Time before the Sale will attend to shew the Premises. JOHN DE NORMANDIE.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1727, *January* 28, 1761.

TO be sold at publick Vendue on Monday, the 14th Instant, at Mr. Thomas Tobines in Elizabeth Town, for the Benefit of his Creditors, an Assortment of Goods fit for the Season. The Time of Payment, and other Conditions of Sale, will be published at the Time and Place of Sale.—*The New York Mercury, February* 1, 1762.

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New-York, February 8. Governor Boone who sailed from hence in the New-Edward, Captain Davis, is arrived safe at Charleston, South-Carolina, where he met a hearty Welcome, and received the Addresses of the General Assembly, and other publick Societies in that Government.—*The New York Mercury, February* 8, 1762.

Run away on the 8th Inst. at Night, from the Subscriber, living in Springfield, Burlington County, New-Jersey, a Servant Man, named Peter Hunter, about 22 Years of Age, was brought up at Little Egg Harbour, of a middle Size, but slim, of a light Complexion, has grey Eyes, short light coloured Hair, and is slow of Speech: Had on when he went away, a thick Pair of Bearskin Breeches, with Metal Buttons, light coloured Coat, much wrinkled by shrinking of the Wool, old red Duffil Great-Coat, and new Castor Hat; and took some Shirts, a Hat &c. besides what he wore. Whoever takes up and secures said Servant, so as his Master may have him again, shall have Forty Shillings Reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by

William Fox.

To be SOLD

A FINE TRACT OF LAND, situate in Hopewell, in the County of Hunterdon, containing about 600 Acres, in Possession of Joseph Severns, John Severns, and Benjamin Severns, being pleasantly situated on the River Delaware, over which is a Ferry, about six Miles from Trenton, adjoining Lands in Possession of Messieurs Mott, Burroughs, Hart and Johnson. For Terms, apply to William Lister, near Burlington.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1729, *February* 11, 1762.

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To be sold at publick Vendue, on Thursday the 25th of March next, at Two o'Clock in the Afternoon, by the Trustees of the First Presbyterian Church, in Newark;

A House and Lot of Land, lying upon the Broad Street, in Newark; containing five or six Acres, very convenient for a Merchant or Tradesman, especially a Tanner. The Vendue to be held on the Premises. The Conditions of Sale, will be made known at the Time of Sale.

To be Sold, at Public Vendue,

On Thursday, the 1st Day of April next, on the Premises, or at private Sale any Time before,

The Plantation belonging to Samuel Lerue, in the County of Middlesex, and Province of New-Jersey, within 7 Miles of South-River Landing: The Plantation contains 350 Acres, and will suit for two Farms or one; 150 Acres of the Land are cleared and in good Fence, the Rest excellent Timber Land: There is on the Premises, a good House with 8 Rooms, 40 by 40, a good Barn, Distil-House, Chair-House, Waggon, and a new Barrack; there is 20 Acres of young Orchard all of good Fruit: The whole is well watered. Any Person inclining to purchase the same before the Day of Sale may apply to the said Samuel Lerue, living on the Premises, by whom a good Title will be given.—*The New York Mercury, February* 15, 1762.

Nottingham, Feb. 14, 1762.

WHEREAS the Author of that unparalled Piece of Scurrility, called *The Layman's Second Letter,* asserts the Mechanick's Address to be the well known Performance of a Rev. Gentleman, I think myself obliged, in Justice to vindicate the Gentleman pointed at from the Imputation of Falsehood, in saying he is not to be found in the

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Pulpits or Schools of Learning, which must fall upon him, an Supposition of his being the Author of said Address, for which Purpose, I the Subscriber, assure the Public, that let the Event of said Address be what it will, it was hammered on my Anvil without being assisted or moved thereto by any Minister or any other person; the only Motive that engaged me, was the Reception those scurilous Remarks met with, and the Influence it were like to have on weak Minds, which is the only Truth I find in the Second.

WILLIAM BUCHANAN.

N. B. I have given the publick this Trouble because the poor Layman has I presume, brought himself under such general deserved Contempt, that he is like never to have any further answer.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1002, *February* 18, 1762.

To be sold at Prince-town, New-Jersey, on Thursday, the 25th of March next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, Four lots of land, late belonging to Muir and Crawford, lying to the south of the main road leading to New York, and east of the college of said town. There is a good new dwelling-house on one of the lots, a store on another, and a small house upon a third. All the lots are divided, and well fenced in. Any person inclining to purchase the whole, or any of said lots, before the day of sale, may apply to Robert Ritchie, merchant in Philadelphia, or Mr. Yard; Vintner in Prince-town.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1730, *February* 18, 1762.

To be SOLD

Fifteen Hundred acres of good Land, situate above the branches of Raritan, between the river Delaware, and the bounds of the eastern division of the province of New

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Jersey, fronting upon Delaware, at a branch thereof called Tohokkenetkony, or Paulin's kiln in Hunterdon County, in the western division of the province aforesaid, now in the tenure of Howell, who has made some small improvement, the chief of said tract being well timbered, and convenient for rafting Staves and Heading to Philadelphia &c. For terms of sale, enquire of WILLIAM RODMAN, of Bensalem, in Bucks county.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1730, *February* 18, 1762.

To be Lett, and entered upon the first Day of May next, at Elizabeth-Town, in the Province of New-Jersey;

A Large commodious Dwelling-House, in which Cornelius Hatfield, Esq; now lives: Said House is two Story high, has six Rooms on a Floor, with 7 Fireplaces, and a very good Cellar under the whole House, with a large Kitchen, and a good Garden, about six Acres of good Land, a young Orchard on the same, and an excellent good living Spring near the House, and is pleasantly situated in the Town.

Said Hatfield has to dispose of, a good Assortment of Dry Goods, Ironmongery and Cutlery Ware, which he will sell at prime Cost, for Cash; and all Persons that are indebted to him, are desired to discharge their respective Accounts in a short Time. N. B. He has likewise to dispose of a Quantity of choice seasoned two Inch Plank.

To be sold, in the Township of Bergen, and Province of New-Jersey, a Farm

CONTAINING about 400 Acres of choice Land and Meadow, with a Right in Bergen Commons, vastly convenient for raising Stock: There may be mowed off said Farm yearly, not less than 300 Loads of choice Hay: There is a pretty good House on the Premises, a good

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Barn, and a young Orchard: 'Tis not more than 7 Miles from New-York. Whoever inclines to purchase the same, may apply to Andrew Teed, at Secacus, in the Township of Bergen, aforesaid, who will agree for the same on reasonable Terms, and give a good Title.—*The New York Mercury, February 22, 1762.*

The following Vessels have been carried into Martinico, between the 31st of October and 7th of December.

Ship Trycothick, Bulfinch, from Piscataway, for Barbados.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No. 1003, February 25, 1762.*

To be sold, by the Subscribers, three valuable Tracts of Land, situate in the County of Sussex and Western Division of the Province of New-Jersey, being Part of the Estate of Maurice Robeson, deceased. The first Tract lies about two Miles from Oxford Furnace, and is the Plantation whereon he lately dwelt, containing near 300 Acres of Land, being noted for the best Place to raise Stock of any in that County, having upwards of 100 Acres of drained Meadow already made on the Premises, and great Part thereof fine Timothy and Clover Grass, besides other Improvements, and sundry Advantages which are natural to that Place. The second is situate about five or six Miles from the above-said Plantation, and contains upwards of 250 Acres of Land, with a Settlement thereon, being well watered and timbered, and good Part thereof as fine rich Lowland as any in that Part of the Province. The third Tract is about 14 Miles from the first mentioned Plantation, and contains near 200 Acres, lying on the North Side of Paulinskiln River, at a Place well known by the Name of the White Rocks, and is remarkable for the finest Piece of Wood-land for that Quantity of any in the County; there is a fine Stream of Water runs through the same,

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on both sides of which is about 100 Acres of exceeding good Low-land, and all the rest very good Plow-land. The Title to the abovesaid Lands is good. Any Person or Persons inclining to purchase all or any of said Tracts of Land, may know the Particulars, and be further informed about the Matter, by applying to the Subscribers, Anne Robeson, living on the first mentioned Plantation, Jonathan Robeson, jun. of Kingwood, and Doctor John Rockhill, of Bethlehem, in the County of Hunterdon, Executors, who are fully empowered to sell and convey the same.

Taken up a Drift, in Salem Creek, on the 20th of January, about 200 Feet of 2 Inch Oak Plank, a Quantity of Oak Scantling, some Inch Cedar Boards, in a Raft, with a Battoe. The Owner of said Raft and Battoe, by applying to Ranier Vanhist, Esq; living on Salem Creek, and proving his Property, and paying the Charges, may have them again.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1731, *February* 25, 1762.

New-York, March 1. We are credibly informed, That a smart Shock of an Earthquake, was felt about 4 o'Clock in the Morning of the 21st ultimo, at Middletown, (New-Jersey) and other Parts adjacent.

To be Sold.

A Plantation, containing 420 Acres of Land, neatly situated on a public Road near King's Town, within about 4 Miles of Prince Town College, in the Corporation of New-Brunswick, in East New-Jersey, 250 Acres of which is cleared and fit for the Plow, it being extraordinary good for both Wheat and Pasture, 20 Acres of choice good Meadows, and more may be made, it being extraordinary

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well Timber'd and Water'd, and in good repair of Fences; has on it two good dwelling Houses and two Barns, with several Conveniences of other Buildings; likewise two good Orchards, with Variety of choice grafted Fruits; and is convenient to both Mills and Markets; the Purchaser may be suited with the Whole, or Part of the same. For further Particulars enquire of the Owner, living on the Premises, who will give an indisputable Title for the same.

JOHN BAYLES

WORKING OXEN,

TO be sold, by Edward Antill, at his Seat near New-Brunswick, in New-Jersey, four or five Yoke of working Cattle, of different Ages, from 8 to three Years old; they are now fit for Service, being in good Heart, and full Flesh'd, they are fed upon good Hay and Corn.—*The New York Mercury, March* 1, 1762.

Whereas a Petition was presented to the General Assembly of New Jersey, at the late Sessions at Amboy, in December last, by Samuel Lippincott, Simon Leonard, and others, Owners of Marsh on Raccoon Creek, in the County of Gloucester, praying a Law to oblige the Parties concerned to make and keep up Banks and Sluices in proper Repair;

Ordered, That the Petitioners have Leave to bring in a Bill, agreeable to the Prayer of their Petition, at the next Sitting of Assembly for doing public Business; provided Notice of their Application, and this Order, is inserted in the Pennsylvania Gazette at least six Weeks before such Sitting, and no reasonable Objection then appear against the same.

FIVE POUNDS REWARD

RUN away, about the 20th of January last, from Jacob

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Stern, of Greenwich, in the County of Sussex, in West-New Jersey, An Irish Servant Man, about 28 Years of Age, named James Lapsley, near 6 Feet high, and well-made: Had on when he went away, A blue Surtout Coat, a redish brown Sailor's Jacket, Thickset Breeches, a Pair of milled bluish Stockings, old Shoes, black cut Wig, and a Felt Hat. He has formerly followed Pedling in this and the neighbouring Governments. He sometimes pretends to be a Millwright by Trade; at other Times an Iron Master: Hath changed his Name heretofore, and may have done the same again. He is subject to live high, and boast much of his former Circumstances, but is a notorious Rogue, having been whip'd at Philadelphia for Horse-stealing. Any Person securing the said Servant, so that his Master may have him again, shall receive the above Reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by JACOB STERN or John Hughes, of Philadelphia

A Box of Medicine was left some time ago at the Stage-house in Burlington. The Owner is desired to prove his Property, and take it away, otherwise it will be sold for the Charges, in one Month after the First of this instant March, by

Patrick Hanlon.

Whereas a Petition was presented to the General Assembly of New-Jersey, at the late Sessions at Amboy, in December last, by Joshua Lord, Samuel Couzens and others, Owners of Meadow on the East Side of Mantua Creek, in the County of Gloucester, praying a Law to oblige the Parties concerned to keep up the Bank and Sluices in proper Repair:

Ordered, That the Petitioners have Leave to bring in a Bill, agreeable to the Prayer of their Petition, at the next Sitting of the Assembly for doing public Business; pro-

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vided Notice of their Application, and this Order, is inserted in the Pennsylvania Gazette at least six Weeks before such Sitting, and no reasonable Objection then appear against the same.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1732, *March* 4, 1762.

Trenton, February 27, 1762.

To be sold by public Vendue, on Monday the 29th of March next, in the Town of Trenton, in New-Jersey, all the real Estate of Gideon Bickerdike, late deceased, consisting of a House he lately lived in, being a well-finished commodious House, in which is a very convenient Shop, fit for a Shop-keeper; also a very beautiful Garden, Stable, Chaise-house, Wood-house, and a good Well in the Yard &c. Also another very good Dwelling-house and Lot, adjoining the abovesaid House and Gardens. Likewise a Lot of Ground, of 29 Acres, adjoining the Land of Sir John St. Clair, whereon is a good young Orchard of fine grafted Fruit, three or four Acres of Meadow, and more may be made, all which is inclosed with a good Fence. Also an Assortment of Shop Goods, Feather Beds and Furniture, a very fine Clock, Chest of Drawers, oval Tables, Dressing-tables, Tea-tables, Desks, Leather-bottomed Chairs and sundry other Household Furniture. Also a likely Negroe Girl, a good riding Chair and Horse, with a good young Cow and Calf. Any Person inclining to see said Houses and Lots, may apply to Edmund Beakes, in Trenton, who, at any Time, before the Sale, will attend to shew the Premises.

N. B. All Persons indebted to the above Estate, are desired to make speedy Payment; and those who have any Demands against the Estate, to bring in their Accounts to Edmund Beakes, that they may be adjusted.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1733, *March* 11, 1762.

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CHARLES-TOWN, (in *South Carolina,*) *Jan.* 23.

The following prizes have been lately carried into Providence, viz.

2. A schooner called the Industry, belonging to Salem, loaded with sugars, &c.

NEW YORK, March 8.

Yesterday Morning Col. PETER SCHUYLER departed this Life, at his Seat at Newark in East-New-Jersey, greatly and justly lamented. He did Honour to his Country, and gave a noble Example to others: And it will be allowed by all who knew him, that he was a sincere Friend, humane, beneficient, and just, to all Mankind.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1005, *March* 11, 1762.

LIST OF LETTERS *remaining in the* POST-OFFICE *in Philadelphia.*

George Armstrong, John Armstrong, Andrew Armstrong, Cumberland county

Archib. Buchanan, William Boyd, James Black, and Obadiah Bowne, in New-Jersey.

John Chapman and Col. John Armstrong, in Cumberland co.

Samuel Caskey, in New Jersey

Abnor Douty, Egg Harbour, John Dowing, Middletown; James Dougherty and James Doabblen, in New Jersey.

Edward Erwing, N. Jersey.

Thomas Fleming, N. Jersey.

James Hammond, N. Jersey.

William Lawrence New Jersey.

Margaret M'Near, Rowland M'Donald, John M'Clea, and John Milliken, Cumberland Co.

Isaac Newton, Cape May. Bryan Ohara, New Jersey.

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John Philpot, Salem.

William Robinson, Cumberland county; James Rainy, Cape-May; Stephen Rowe, Salem county; Scamon Rodman, Burlington. Catharine Stout and James Simpson, New-Jersey James Wording, Jonathan Willis, N. Jersey; William Wilson, Cumberland county.

Run away, last November, from Lieut. Shute, of the New Jersey Regiment, living at Greenwich, in Cumberland County, West New-Jersey, an indented Servant Man, named John Rigar, a German by Birth, about 26 Years of Age, 5 Feet 3 Inches high, speaks pretty good English; and had on when he went away, an old red Coat and Breeches, white Flannel Jacket. Whoever brings him to said Shute, or to Charles Souder, at the Sign of the City of Amsterdam, in Front-street, Philadelphia, shall receive Three Pounds Currency Reward, and all necessary Charges.

Note. He is commonly called Prussia (from his Country) and is supposed to have gone towards Reading-Town, in the Jersey.

Lancaster, March 8, 1762.

This serves to inform WILLIAM FOX, of Springfield, in Burlington County, New Jersey, that his Runaway Servant Man, Peter Hunter, is now in this Goal; and he is hereby desired to come and pay Charges, and take him away.

Felix Donnaly, Goaler.

To be LETT to the SHARES, or for RENT, in Gloucester County, situate in the Township of Greenwich, A Plantation, with two Mills on it; the one a Grist-mill, and the other a Saw-mill. For Terms, apply to WILLIAM HARRISON, at said Place—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1734, *March* 18, 1762.

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New-York, March 22. On Monday Morning, between 12 and 1 o'Clock, the Fire Engine House belonging to Schuyler's Copper Mines, at Second River, in New-Jersey, took Fire and was burnt to the Ground, and the Works belonging to the Engine,[1] which it is said cost near Ten Thousand Pounds, were destroyed. It is not known by what means the House was set on Fire, but it is conjectured to be by the Carelessness of one of the Workmen, who was the only Person then in the House. The Fire began below, where he acknowledges he lighted a Candle when he went to Bed in an upper Room in the second or third Story, where he was waked by the Fire, and throwing his Coat over his Shoulders, he ran down to the lower Floor which fell in with him, into the Flames below, but by some Means, which he does not at all remember, he got out, but is terribly burnt. It is said about 2000 Cord of Wood was likewise consumed.

The Bounty to be given to the Provincials raised in this Province, for the ensuing Campaign, is, we hear, Ten Pounds, a Man, that in the Province of New-Jersey, Nine Pounds Fifteen Shillings, a Man; and in the Province of Massachusetts-Bay, Seven Pounds lawful Money.—*The New York Mercury, March 22, 1762.*

To cover this Season at Perth-Amboy, at TEN POUNDS Proc. each Mare for the Season,
THE BROWN HORSE FALSTAFF

He was got by OLD CADE, out of a well-bred Mare, and is the stoutest Horse of Cade's get.

The Petition of JAMES CLARK and JOHN CLARK, relating to the GREAT MEADOWS, in Maidenhead, was read

[1] The first steam engine in America.

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the second Time and several of the Parties attending, were called in, and their Allegations heard,

ORDERED, THAT all the Parties affected by, or any Ways concerned in the said Meadows, may have a hearing on the Third Day of the next Sitting of the GENERAL ASSEMBLY for doing the public Business; and that in the mean Time STEPHEN JONES do give public Notice of the said Hearing, both in the Pennsylvania Gazette, and in the public Places of the Township, in order that every such Party may then attend, if they think proper; and that Proof be then made of such Notice being given,

A true copy from the Minutes of 5th of March, 1762.

R. SMITH

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1735, *March* 25, 1762.

To be Sold,

AT Elizabeth-Town, by John De Hart, a very commodious House and Lot of Ground, with a good Barn, Stables, Out-Houses, &c. (very suitable and well situated for Business of any Kind) near the Presbyterian Meeting House, at Connecticut Farms, in the Borough of Elizabeth, upon the great Road from the Back Countries of Sussex, Morris, and Somerset, to New-York.—*The New York Mercury, March* 29, 1762.

April 1.

This is to inform the PUBLIC,

THAT the Subscriber hath opened a Boarding-School Elizabeth-Town, in East-New-Jersey, for the accommodation and instruction of Youth in Writing, Arithmetic both Vulgar and Decimal Extraction of the Roots, Geometry, and Trignometry, with their Application in Surveying, Guaging, Menturation, Navigation, &c. Merchants

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Accompts in the most approved method; as also, Boys to be instructed in the Beauty and Propriety of the English Tongue, which shall be taught as a Language; the best English Authors shall be read & explain'd; the Art Rhetoric or Oratory, shall be taught with great Care and Exactness; Specimens of the Boys proficiency therein shall be given every Quarter. Those Gentlemen who are pleas'd to encourage said School, may depend upon the greatest Care being taken over the Morals of their Children. that a just veneration may be early risen in the tender Mind, for Virtue, as well as Learning. The School-House is very pleasantly Situated in an open and wholesome Air, its hoped the undertaking will meet with due Encouragement especially from such who know the importance of a proper English Education, and the great Advantages Boys must necessarily have from their being alway's under the Inspection of a Master. Boys will be admitted into said School who can read tolerably well on very reasonable terms, by

ROBERT CATHER.

Custom-House, Philadelphia, Entered In. Sloop Sally, Enoch Lunt, from Piscataway.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1008, *April* 1, 1762.

NEW YORK, March 29

Thursday Captain Durham came in through the Sound, after a Passage of 63 *Days from the West Indies, having been almost six Weeks of that Time on our Coasts. The* 5*th Instant he fell in with Captain Reynolds, from Philadelphia for this Port, who was blown from his Anchors at Cape-May, a few Days before, and having lost his Rudder, most of his Sails, and sprung his Mast, was obliged to abandon his Vessel; and he, with his Crew, were brought in here by Captain Durham.*

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To be sold by public Vendue, at the House of Lambert Barnes, in Burlington, a Plantation, commonly known by the Name of the Brickyards, containing about 164 Acres of Land, 100 Acres of which is well timbered, with a good Brick House thereon, and a very good Orchard of about 400 bearing Apple-trees of exceeding good Fruit, about 14 Acres of Meadow, and more may be made with a very small Expence; belonging to the Estate of George Eyre, deceased. The Sale to begin on Saturday the 17th of April, at Two o'Clock in the Afternoon, where Attendance will be given by SAMUEL EYRE, EMANUEL EYRE, and JOHN EYRE, Executors.

EXTRACT from the VOTES of March 10, 1762.

A Petition was presented to the House, and read, from the Owners of the Rough Swamp and Marshes, situate on a small Creek, called Pumpessing, in the Township of Chester, in the County of Burlington, praying for an Act of Assembly to stop the Tide out of said Marsh;

Ordered, That the Petitioners have Leave to bring in a Bill for that Purpose at next Session at Burlington, provided they give public Notice, in the Pennsylvania Gazette, of their Application, and this Order, and nothing then appears against it.

A true Extract.

R. Smith, Clerk.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1736, *April* 1, 1762.

New-York, April 5. Last Thursday one Mr. Lesyear, of Hackensack, in New-Jersey, happening to have some high Words with his Wife, went out of the House in a Passion, and shot himself thro' the Body, of which Wound he instantly died: It is said they had lived very discon-

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tented together for some Time before.—*The New York Mercury, April* 5, 1762.

Custom-House, Philadelphia, Entered In. Schooner Dolly, John Ingersoll, from Piscataway.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1009, *April* 8, 1762.

Notice is hereby given by the Managers of Peter Gordon's Lottery, to all whom it may concern, that they have made Application to the Legislature of the Province of New-Jersey, to pass a Law for vacating the said Lottery, and expect to have that Affair finally determined next Session.—*The New York Mercury, April* 12, 1762.

Custom-House, Philadelphia, Entered In. Schooner Matthew, Mark Furneld, from Piscataway. Sloop Joanne, William Bartlet, from Salem. Sloop Abigail, Peter Groves, from Salem.

Elizabeth-Town, April 8, 1762.

RUN-AWAY from the Subscriber, an English Servant Man, William Cooper by Name; he is about twenty-eight Years old, about five Feet eight Inches high, pretty slim-like built, by trade a Coach Harnis Maker and Trimmer; had on when he went away, a pretty good beaver Hat, brown Wig near new, a light coloured thickset Coat, good scarlet double breasted short cloath Jacket with yellow Buttons, a Pair of black knit Breeches, and had with him a pair of old Leather ones, white ribb'd Stockings, good Shoes with yellow Buckles. Whoever takes up and secures the said Servant, so that his Master may have him again, shall be paid SIX POUNDS Reward and all reasonable Charges, by me

MATTHIAS WILLIAMSON.

N. B. He went away with a likely young Man, who is well dress'd, and hath deserted from Captain Dayton's

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Company in this Town, who will give the same Reward to have him secured.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1010, *April* 15, 1762.

April 15.

DESERTED from Capt. Dayton's Company of the New-Jersey Regiment, a Soldier, went by the Name of John Greenwood; had on when he went away, a light coloured cloath Coat, or a spotted Swanskin one, with a scarlet Vest; is a likely well built Fellow, about five Feet nine Inches high, something round shouldered and lightly pitted with the Small-pox. Whoever takes up and delivers said Fellow to Capt. Elias Dayton, at Elizabeth-Town, before the Company embarkes, shall have SIX POUNDS Reward, of ELIAS DAYTON.

—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1010, *April* 15, 1762.

Extract from the Votes of the General Assembly of the Province of New-Jersey.

THE House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole House, on his Excellency's Speech, and after some Time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Hancock, Chairman of the Committee, reported, that the Committee had gone through that Part of his Excellency's Speech respecting to his Majesty's Requisition of Men, to recruit the regular Forces, and directed him to report, that the raising of former Regiments in this War, and the great Number of Men already inlisted among the Regulars, out of this Province,

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have so drained us both of Freemen and Servants, as to render Labour not only extremely scarce in general, but in many Places not to be had for Money: Under this Difficulty the Committee is of Opinion, that the Men now agreed to be raised in the Provincial Service, being the full Number required by his Majesty on that Account, is as many as there is any Probability of effecting; and it being impracticable to raise more, the Committee think, it would be deceiving his Majesty's General, to give him any Expectations of that Kind.

March 6, 1762.

A Message from his Excellency, by Mr. Secretary, as follows, viz.

I AM very sorry to see, by your Minutes of Yesterday, the Resolve you have gone into, with Regard to His Majesty's Requisition, for recruiting the regular Forces: Had you given due Attention to the Secretary of State's Letter, on this Subject, you would find this Piece of Service is thought so essentially necessary by His Majesty, that he will be much disappointed, if it is not effected.

The Intention of this Requisition, was to render the Regular Regiments compleat, and fit for such immediate Service as His Majesty may think proper to employ them in; those Regiments are at present so situated, as to make it impossible for them to send Officers and Parties into these Colonies, to recruit the Men in Time; wherefore the Proportioning the Number of Recruits wanted among the Colonies, and the Supplying them, is the only Method that can be taken to render them of Use; and if not agreed to by the Colonies, may be attended with very ill Consequences to His Majesty's Service, at a Juncture when every Means in our Power should be exerted, to distress

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the Enemy. I must therefore desire, Gentlemen, that you take this Matter again under your Consideration, and do your Parts towards insuring Success, to Measures absolutely necessary for our future Quiet and Safety.

JOSIAH HARDY

March 8, 1762.

A Message from his Excellency, by Mr. Secretary.

Gentlemen of the General Assembly;

I HAVE this morning received a Letter from Sir Jeffery Amherst; which I have ordered to be laid before you; and I shall be extremely glad, it may have such Weight with you, as to convince you, that His Majesty's last Requisition ought to be complied with.

JOSIAH HARDY

March 9, 1762.

ORDERED,

That Mr. Stevens and Mr. Hart, do wait upon his Excellency, and in Answer to his Messages of the 6th and 8th Instant, inform him, That it is with great Reluctance we are obliged to refuse any Measure, that might tend to promote His Majesty's Service; but the Assistance required from us, to recruit the regular Forces, appears so extremely unlikely to be carried into Execution, that we are well assured, it would be only trifling with the King's General, to attempt it; and by giving him such Expectations, expose the Service to a Disappointment, that will end in a Prejudice to the common Cause, and to the Censure of a General whose distinguished Services justly claim whatever could be reasonably done in his Favour: But the Case is such, that the peculiar Scarcity of Men in this Province, owing to former Services of the like kind, renders it impracticable; leaving this, and constantly going, Regiment after Regiment, into another Province.

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very many of our Men have never returned; and the Handiness of our Situation for Inlistments hitherto among the Regulars, considered as a thoroughfare between New-York and Philadelphia, have been an additional Drain, and that perhaps more here than elsewhere: These Facts require no colouring to entitle us to an Exemption from raising more than what is required in the Province Service: Determined however, not to desert the common Cause, though our Debts, as well as the Scarcity of Men, are already great, we have fully come up to the King's Expectations on that Account; and for these Reasons, must rest it here, That that Measure is as much as we can do.

March 10, 1762.

A Message from his Excellency, by Mr. Secretary.

Mr. Speaker, his Excellency is in the Council-Chamber, and requires the Attendance of the House.

Whereupon Mr. Speaker left the Chair, and with the House waited upon his Excellency, who was pleased to give his Assent to the following Bills, enacting the same, viz.

1. An Act to complete the New-Jersey Regiment to Six Hundred and Sixty-five effective Volunteers, Officers included.

2. An Act to impower the Church-Wardens and Vestry-Men of St. Mary's Church in the City of Burlington, to raise by Lottery a Sum of Money for repairing the Church, Parsonage-House and Burying-Ground in said City.

3. An Act to impower the Managers of the Bound-Brook Bridge, in the County of Somerset, to raise by Lottery, a Sum of Money for rebuilding and compleating the said Bridge.

4. An Act for granting an additional Supply, for the

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finishing the Secretary's office, at Burlington, and Perth-Amboy.

5. An Act to enable the Owners and Possessors of the Meadows lying on a Branch of Newton Creek, in the County of Gloucester, (commonly called the Back Creek) to erect and maintain a Bank, Dam and other Water Works, across the said Creek, in order to prevent the Tide from overflowing the same, and to keep the former Water-Course of the said Creek open and clear.

6. An Act for continuing the Bridge over the Cedar Swamp Creek, in the County of Cape-May, and for accommodating the same with a sufficient Causeway.

7. An Act for naturalizing George Beck, Jacob Wigmore, and Stephen Sarich.

And then Mr. Speaker presented the Address of the House, in the following Words, viz.

To his Excellency JOSIAH HARDY, Esq; Captain General and Commander in Chief in and over his Majesty's Province of Nova-Caesaria, or New-Jersey, and Territories thereon depending in America, Chancellor and Vice-Admiral in the same, &c.

May it please your Excellency,

WE his Majesty's dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Representatives of the Province of New-Jersey, recollecting with Gratitude the Favours received, through his Majesty's Paternal Care over us, have now without Loss of Time, gone into the Measures proposed, for assisting the Common Cause, so far as to agree upon the raising of a Provisional Regiment of Six Hundred and Sixty-Six effective Men: After former Exertions of this Sort, we are sensible the Difficulties of raising them will be great; but from your Excellency's Abilities, that the Honour of the Government, in realizing the Expectations

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they give, may suffer no Dimunition, and his Majesty's Service no Injury.

We have already informed your Excellency by Message, that it is with great Reluctance, we find our present peculiar Circumstance, respecting the Scarcity of Men, to lay us under the Necessity of not coming into the Requisition for recruiting the Regular Forces; and as we cannot go into both the Measures proposed, we have complied with the most important; that the Province under such Discouragements, is not able to go farther than raising the Provisional Regiment, we hope the Reasons we have before given will evidence; and that our Necessities will not subject us to any Loss of Reputation, in a Case, which throughout the preceding Campaigns, hath been pursued by this Province with invariable Zeal and Solicitude.

By Order of the House,

SAMUEL NEVILL, Speaker

To which his Excellency was pleased to make the following Answer; whereby he prorogued the House.

Gentlemen of the General Assembly,

I Thank you for this Address, and for what you have done in Consequence of His Majesty's Requisition for the Provincial Regiment: I shall do every Thing in my Power to forward the raising the Men for this Service: I will not detain you any longer at this Season from your own Concerns; but prorogue this General Assembly to Tuesday the 6th Day of April next, then to meet at Amboy, and they are prorogued accordingly.

JOSIAH HARDY.

New-York, April 19. In our Paper of the 5th Instant, we inserted a Paragraph of Mr. Leyseur's shooting him-

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self, and that he had lived very discontented with his Wife for some Time before; since which we have been told, that they always lived very happily together.

ALL Persons in whose Hands Tickets in the Amboy Lottery were left to be sold, are hereby requested to inform the Managers thereof what Number of Tickets remain unsold; and also that they will collect and pay unto said Managers, the Money for all that are disposed of, as they expect to draw said Lottery the Beginning of next Month, agreeable to their first Proposal

To be Sold,

By James Kearney, of Middle-Town, in New-Jersey, a Part of his Lands on Brown's Point Neck, either 100 or 150 Acres of good Land, well timbered, and Part thereof is cleared and within Fence, with a small Orchard, and a House thereon, and several Acres of good mowing Meadow, and more may be cleared; bounded on the West Side by a clear Brook: on the South by the Land of Van Pelt; and on the other Sides by his own Land: It is exceeding pleasant, and is a very healthy Place. It lies within two Miles of the said Brown's Point, where is plenty of Oysters, Clams, Fish, &c. and a good Road thereto, and also within a Mile and a Half of Middle-Town-Point. Any Person inclining to purchase the same may apply to the said James Kearney, who will agree on reasonable Terms, and give a sufficient Title.

RUN-away from Sterling Iron Works, in the County of Bergen, the 1st Instant, a Labourer, under Contract, named John Martin, about 27 Years of Age, 5 Feet 6 Inches high, or thereabouts, light Complexion, grey Eyes, long Hair, which he commonly wears tied, and much pock

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mark'd: Had on when he went away, a dark colour'd Broad-Cloth Coat, green flowered Velvet Jacket, buff coloured Plush Breeches, and Boots; he has taken with him belonging to the Subscriber, a Bay Horse (about 14 Hands high) Saddle and Bridle. Whoever takes up and secures said John Martin, in any of his Majesty's Goals, shall have Five Pounds Reward, and all reasonable Charges, paid by

William Hawxhurst.

—*The New York Mercury, April* 19, 1762.

Run away from the Subscriber hereof, on Thursday the 8th Day of April inst. a Negroe Lad, named Moses, about 18 Years of Age, born at Trenton, in East Jersey: Wore (when he went away from my House, in Oxford Township in the County of Philadelphia) a striped Lincey inside Jacket, without any Sleeves, a Buckskin outside Jacket, an old Felt Hat, a light coloured Pair of Cloth Breeches pretty much worn, a Pair of old Shoes, an old Pair of greyish Stockings, and plain Brass Buckles; he has also a remarkable Scar across the Toes of his right Foot. Any Person or Persons who will apprehend the said Negroe Lad, and have him secured, so that the Owner may have him again, shall have Forty Shillings Reward, and all reasonable Charges, paid by me.

George Keen

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1739, *April* 22, 1762.

Custom-House, Philadelphia, Entered In. Sloop Swallow, Jeremiah Pote, from Salem. Sloop Molly, Nathaniel Newman, from Piscataway.

Outwards. Sloop Joannes, William Bartlet, for Salem. Schooner Matthew, Mark Furnald, to Piscataway.

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April 22.

To be sold by public vendue, the 1st day of May next, at the house of Gasper Sacks, in Penns-Neck Salem county.

A plantation containing 116 acres of land more or less, late the estate of Joseph Twentyman, deceased, adjoining the lands of William Logan, Aaron Biddle, Gasper Sacks, and Hellems land; the purchaser to pay half the money down, and 6 months credit for the other half giving security. And likewise will be sold, all his wearing apparel, and a small collection of books, and several utensils of husbandry, all under 20 shillings, ready money, and all above, 3 months credit and security if required, where attendance will be given at the house of sale by JOSEPH SAUL, Executor to the estate, and make the buyer a good title for the same.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1011, *April* 22, 1762.

New-York, April 26. Friday the 30th Instant, is appointed by Proclamation of the Governor of New-Jersey, as a Day of public Fasting and Prayer throughout that Province.

Notice is hereby given, that

YOUNG SPARK,

Is to cover this season, and is kept at Peter Covenhoven's plantation, 5 miles above Brunswick, in Rariton. He is a very fine stallion; his sire a horse from the best breed in Britain; his dam a genteel mare, half blood from Maryland. Any person inclining to send their mares, will have them covered at Three Dollars for the season.—*The New York Mercury, April* 26, 1762.

April 29.

RUN-away on the 18th of April, from the Subscriber

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living in the Township of Springfield, in the County of Burlington; a servant lad named George Stone of about 17 years of age, about 5 feet 7 or 8 inches high; dark complexion, black eyes, and black strait hair; full faced of a down look, goes somewhat stooping with his shoulders, his knees together and his toes wide out, had on and took away with him a Cinnamon coloured worsted and wool Coat, light coloured worsted and wool Breeches, grey yarn Stockings, strong Shoes with steel Buckles in them, an oznabrig Shirt, and a check ditto, and a pair of long coarse Trowsers, and a felt Hat half worn. Whoever takes up and secures said servant, so as his Master may have him again, shall have FORTY SHILLINGS reward, and reasonable charges paid by me.

JOHN CROSHAW.

N. B. All Masters of Vessels are forbid to Carry him off at their Peril.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1012, *April* 29, 1762.

NEW-YORK, *April* 26.

Saturday Evening, the Brig Ranger, capt. Jameson, arrived here from Bermuda, in 17 days: . . . . Friday capt. Jameson saw a double decked Snow off Egg Harbour.

Custom-House, Philadelphia, Cleared. Sloop Abigail, Peter Groves to Salem. Sloop Joanna, William Bartlett, to ditto. Brig Olive-Branch, John Robertson, to Salem. —*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1012, *April* 29, 1762.

New-York, May 3. Monday last the General Assembly of New-Jersey, met at Perth Amboy, to proceed on Business, pursuant to a Call of his Excellency the Governor of that Province.—*The New York Mercury, May* 3, 1762.

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May 6.

Taken up about the 10th of March last, between New Castle and Reedy-Point, a new Battoe, of a middling size. Any person who has lost said Battoe, may have her again, paying Charges, by applying to William Goff, at Cape-May.

Custom-House, Philadelphia, Entered In. Brig Monckton, Mayo Greenleafe, from Piscataway.

May 6.

To be LETT or SOLD,

And may be enter'd into immediately,

A good and Commodious three story Dwelling House, situated on the East side of Kings-street, in the Borough of Trenton, in the county of Hunterdon in New-Jersey, with a Lott of Land on part of which said House standeth, said Lott extendeth from said King-street unto Queen street, containing 40 feet Front: on each of said Streets, said House stands well for Shop-keeping for which use it is now fitted up or for any Publick Business. For Terms of Rent or Sale, apply unto Charles Axford in Trenton, Julius Ewan in Springfield, Burlington County, or John Ewan, in Bridgetown, alias Mount Holly.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1013, *May* 6, 1762.

RUN-AWAY from John Rambo, at Mantua Creek, Gloucester County, West New-Jersey, on the 27th of last Month, A Servant Lad, named John Cannon, about 18 Years of Age, Country born: Had on when he went away, A new Felt Hat, old close bodied homespun Coat, pretty much patched, of a bluish Colour, Linsey-woolsey Trowsers, and a coarse homespun Shirt; has straight black Hair, and is pretty talkative; had neither Shoes nor

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Stockings on. Whoever takes up and secures said Servant, so that his Master may have him again, shall have Thirty Shillings Reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by

JOHN RAMBO.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1741, *May* 6, 1762.

New-Brunswick, May 3, 1762.

SCHEME
OF A
LOTTERY,

PERMITTED by a Law of the Province of New-Jersey, to the Managers of Bound-Brook Bridge, across Rariton River, to raise £400, Proclamation Money, for the rebuilding and compleating the same. Said Lottery to consist of 4500 Tickets at 2 Dollars each, 1326 whereof to be Prizes, and are as follows, viz.

Number of Prizes.		Value in Dollars.		Total Value.
1	of	1000	is	1000 Dollars
1	of	500	is	500
2	of	250	are	500
3	of	100	are	100
6	of	50	are	300
8	of	40	are	320
10	of	30	are	300
15	of	20	are	300
20	of	10	are	200
100	of	6	are	600
1160	of	3	are	3480

1326 Prizes.
3174 Blanks.

4500 Tickets, at Two Dollars each.

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Tickets to be had of the Managers, viz. Hendrick Fisher, Anthony White, James Neilson, and Samuel Kemble, who are to be upon Oath, for the faithful Discharge of their Trust, and are to serve gratis, in Consideration of so useful a Work to the Publick, in which they hope and expect to meet with all due Encouragement; what is added to said £400 is to defray other incidental Charges. The fortunate Tickets shall be published in the New-York Mercury, soon after the Drawing is finished, and be paid intire to the Possessor, without Deduction. The Managers hope to be ready for Drawing said Lottery in the City of New-Brunswick, by the first of July next, under the Inspection of William Ouke and Andrew Leake; who have Tickets to sell. Likewise, Thomas Helme at Black River, John Gaston, William Beard, Bound-Brook; Aaron Boylan, Baskinridge; Stephen Campbell, Quibble Town; Moor Furman, Trentown; and Neilson and Henry at Stoneybrook.—*The New York Mercury, May* 10, 1762.

To be SOLD

A LARGE Tract of Land, lying in Burlington County, 13 Miles from the Town, and 10 from Mount-holly, on the large Road to Egg Harbour, in the Township of New Hanover. Said Place contains between 7 and 800 Acres, of which there are 60 cleared, with a good Dwelling-house on it, and a good Orchard. Whoever inclines to purchase said Place, may know the Terms of Joseph Leonard, of Shrewsbury, who will give an indisputable Title for it.

N. B. Said Tract lies within three or four Miles of Mr. Michael Newbolds, and a Number of other noted Farmers.

Custom-House, Philadelphia, Entered In. Sloop Elizabeth, John Seaward, from Piscataway.

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May 13.

To be sold by public Vendue at the London Coffee-House, on the first of June next, at six o'Clock in the Afternoon,

A Lot of Ground lying at Gloucester, call'd Lilliput, formerly the Property of Mr. D. J. Dove, pleasantly situated, and containing about two Acres of Garden Ground fenced in with Boards; one Acre is planted with Apple and Cherry Trees; the other with Asparagus. There are on the Premises a Dwelling House and Barn, fit for storing Goods, designed for Importation or Exportation, besides which, there is a Cellar ready dug and wall'd up with Stone, about 20 Feet square, nigh which there is a Well of excellent Water. Any Person inclining to purchase the Premises before the Day of Sale may be informed of the Terms, by enquiring at the Bar of the London Coffee House.

DAVID STOUT.

—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1014, *May* 13, 1762.

May 10, 1762.

Stolen from the Subscriber, living in the Township of Chester, in the County of Burlington, West Jersey, on the 4th of this Instant, at Night, a likely yellow sorrel Mare, about 14 Hands high, eight Years old this Spring, lately branded on the near Thigh with T S, and has been formerly branded on the near Shoulder with P, has a small Lump or Wen on her Breast Bone, the Top of her Head lately scalded with Spirits of Turpentine, shod before with old Shoes, a natural Pacer, and of a good Carriage; she had on, when stolen, a snaffel Bridle and hunting Saddle about half worn, with plain blue Cloth Housings. The

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said Mare was lately brought from New England, and was stolen out of the Yard of Lambert Barnes, Innkeeper, in the City of Burlington. Whoever takes up the said Mare, and brings her to the Subscriber, and apprehends and secures the Thief, so that he may be brought to Justice, shall have Six Pounds Reward, and reasonable Charges, or Three Pounds for the Mare only, paid by

THOMAS STOKES.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1743, *May* 13, 1762.

The managers of the Amboy lottery are obliged to postpone the drawing thereof until the 14th day of June next, for no other reason but their not receiving an account of their tickets from the persons in whose hands they were left to be sold. They are therefore requested once more to return to either of the managers, all tickets that remain in their hands unsold, by the last day of this month, and also the cash for those they have sold.

As the managers have no tickets in their hands but what are actually engaged, they beg they may not be under the disagreeable necessity of a further delay.—*The New York Mercury, May* 17, 1762.

Just published, and to be sold by WILLIAM DUNLAP, at the Newest Printing Office, in Market-street, The COUNTRYMAN'S LAMENTATION on the NEGLECT of a proper EDUCATION of CHILDREN; with an ADDRESS to the INHABITANTS of NEW JERSEY.

For I know him, that he will command his Children, and his Houshold after him, and they shall keep the Way of the Lord, that the Lord may bring upon Abraham that

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which he hath spoken of him. Genesis 18; 19.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1744, *May* 27, 1762.

On Tuesday, the 10th Instant, a public Commencement was held at the COLLEGE, in this City, in the Presence of a learned, polite, and very brilliant Assembly. Every Part of the public Hall was crowded with Spectators. His HONOUR the GOVERNOR who is one of the Trustees of this Institution, was pleased to attend the whole Day. A great Number of the Clergy, of different Denominations, together with many other Gentlemen of Learning, and the first Distinction, from the neighbouring Parts were likewise present.

The Exercises were opened in the Morning. . . . .

Henry Merchant, formerly a Student of this Institution, having pronounced an elegant spirited English Oration upon the Study of the Law, was admitted to a Master's Degree; also the Rev. Mr. *Morgan Edwards,* the Rev. Mr. *Joseph Mather,* the Rev. Mr. *John Simonton,* and Mr. *Isaac Smith,* of NASSAU COLLEGE, now Student of Physic, to the Honorary Degree of Master of Arts. And Mr. Thomas Pollock, Tutor in the Academy, to the Honorary Degree of Batchelor of Arts. . . . .

May 27.

JUST imported from the River Gambia, in the Schooner Sally, Barnard Badger, Master, and to be sold at the Upper-Ferry (called Benjamin Cooper's Ferry[1]), opposite to this City, a Parcel of likely Men and Women

SLAVES,

with some Boys and Girls of different Ages. Attendance will be given from the Hours of nine to twelve o'Clock

[1] Now Camden, N. J.

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in the Morning, and from three to six in the Afternoon, by

W. COXE, S. OLDMAN, & Company,

N. B. It is generally allowed, that the Gambia Slaves are much more robust and tractable, than any other Slaves from the Coast of Guinea, and more capable of undergoing the Severity of the Winter Seasons in the North-American Colonies, which occasions their being vastly more esteemed and coveted in this Province and those to the Northward than any other Slaves whatsoever.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1016, *May* 27, 1762.

Custom-House, Philadelphia, Entered In. Brig Hannah, William Kidd, from Piscataway. Brig Mary, Andrew Ford, from Piscataway.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1017, *June* 3, 1762.

To be SOLD

A Good Plantation, lying between Chever's and Goslin's Mills in Greenwich Township, Gloucester County, containing 353 Acres, between 40 and 50 Acres of Upland cleared, and about 25 Acres of Meadow, fit for mowing, and 50 more may be easily made. On the Premises are two small Dwelling-houses and Out-houses, likewise two young Orchards. The said Plantation is well watered, lying on both Sides of Raccoon Creek, where there is a good Conveniency to build a Mill, being about 7 Miles, from a Landing, and 20 Miles from Gloucester. For Terms &c, apply to CHRISTOPHER MARSHALL, in Chestnut street, Philadelphia, or to JOHN OGG, on the Premises. At said Marshall's shop was left, a Piece of Cotton Velvet; the Owner describing the Quantity and proving

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his Property, may have it again.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1745, *June* 3, 1762.

Burlington, April 6, 1762.

SCHEME

OF A

LOTTERY,

For raising the Sum of £999. 18s. for the Use of the Church at Burlington, in New-Jersey.

Whereas the Minister, Church Wardens, Vestry-Men and others, Members of the Episcopal Congregation of St. Mary's Church, in Burlington, have made Application to the Legislature of this Province, met at Burlington, by Way of humble Petition, setting forth, that Length of Time had much decayed the Fabric of their Church, being the most antient of that Denomination in the Province; likewise the Parsonage House, Want of a Glebe, Walling of their Burying-Ground, &c. and their utter Inability through their Poverty, to do so much as their Inclinations would lead them to: The Legislature generously granted the Request of their Petition, and permitted them, by an Act of Assembly, passed by the Governor and Council, to make Application to the Public, by Way of Lottery; not doubting, but that it will meet with all due Encouragement, from the well disposed of all Denominations, as it is intended for the Glory of God, and the Good of Society. The Lottery is calculated greatly to the Advantage of the Adventures, there not being two Blanks to a Prize. The Scheme is as follows.

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Number of Prizes.		Value in Dollars.		Total Value.
1	of	1000	is	1000 Dollars
1	of	500	is	500
1	of	250	is	250
1	of	200	is	200
2	of	150	are	300
3	of	100	are	300
6	of	75	are	450
19	of	50	are	950
15	of	40	are	600
20	of	30	are	600
74	of	20	are	1480
150	of	10	are	1500
1200	of	8	are	9600
1		First Drawn		26
1		Last Drawn		20
1495 Prizes.				
2949 Blanks.				
4444 Tickets, at 4 Dollars each, are				17776 Dollars

The Drawing to begin on Monday the 30th of August next, or sooner if full, at the City of Burlington. As soon as the drawing is finished, the Prizes will be published in the Pennsylvania and New-York Gazettes, and the Money paid to the Possessors. Fifteen per Cent. being first deducted. Prizes not demanded in Six Months after drawing, to be deemed as generously given to promote the pious Design. The following Persons are appointed Managers. John Lawrence, Esq; Abraham Hewlings, William Skeele, Daniel Ellis, Arent Schuyler, and Isaac Hewlings, in Burlington, William Pidgeon, Esq; at Trenton; John Monrow, Esq; and Peter Bard, at

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Mount-Holly; who are to give Bond and to be on Oath, for the faithful Discharge of their Trust. Tickets are to be sold by the said Managers, at their respective Dwellings, and by Elisha Lawrence, Esq; in Upper-Freehold; Joseph Borden, Esq; at Borden-Town; Thomas Denny, Esq; in Gloucester County, and Courtland Skinner, Esq; at Amboy.—*The New York Mercury, June* 7, 1762.

NEW-YORK, June 7.

Since our last fell down to Sandy Hook, his Majesty's Ships the Intrepid, Chesterfield and Porcupine Sloop, with 13 Transports, having on board his Majesty's 46th Regiment, 4 Independent Companies, and about 1000 Provincial Troops; and we hear they are to sail in a few Days, and are to be commanded by Col. Burton.

Burlington, June 1, 1762.

Now in the Goal of this City, a Servant Lad, named Thomas Moreland, who has been advertised in this Paper by Samuel Johnson, of Salisbury Township, Lancaster County. His Master is desired to come, pay Charges, and take him away.

Thomas Shinn, Sheriff.

To be LETT *for a Term of Years,*

One Hundred Acres of Land, a great Part thereof Meadow, with a Messuage thereon erected, and a Shad Fishery appurtenant thereon; situated in the County of Gloucester, near the Town of the same Name.

Also sundry Lots of Ground, bounded on Mulberry and Sixth streets. And a Quantity of Meadow Ground at Kensington. Any Person inclining to lease the Premises, or any Part thereof, may know the Terms by applying to MARY MASTERS, JOSEPH FOX, and JOSEPH GALLOWAY, in Philadelphia.

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Whereas the Inhabitants of the Townships of Greenwich and Fairfield, in the County of Cumberland, and Province of West-New-Jersey, have made Application to the General Assembly of the said Province, in order that they may authorize a Number of Men to lay out a Road from the Township of Greenwich to the Township of Fairfield, and the House not thinking proper to pass an Act for the same, until it was made publick; therefore all Persons whom it may concern are hereby notified.

Came to the House of Col. Abraham Vancampen, of Sussex County, New Jersey, on the 20th of last April, A yellow bay Horse, about 15 Hands high, a natural Pacer, has neither Brand nor Ear Mark, as can be perceived, his off hind Foot is white to near the Foot-lock, and judged to be about 8 or 9 Years old, his Tail docked, and seems as if he had not been used for some Time, and is shod before. The Owner coming and proving his Property and paying Charges, may have him again.

Abraham Vancampen.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1746, *June* 10, 1762.

June 10.

TO BE SOLD By

William Ibison,

At his Store the Corner of Chestnut and Water street, ...

He has also a Parcel of neat Elizabeth Town Saddles, made by Williamson, to dispose off: as he proposes declining the dry good Trade, he will sell those remaining on Hand very cheap, for Cash or short Credit.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1018, *June* 10, 1762.

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London, April 17. His Majesty has been pleased to appoint Thomas Pownall, Esq; late Governor of New-England, to be Director-General of Comptroll, with the Rank of Colonel in the Combined Army in Germany.

To be Sold, at Public Vendue,

At the Dwelling-House of John Van Cleeve, of Bedminster, in the County of Somerset, and Province of New-Jersey, on Tuesday the 29th of June inst. a compleat and valuable Shop of Medicines, with Mortars and sundry Instruments and other Things, very suitable for a Doctor. An Inventory may be seen of the whole on or before the Day of Sale. Reasonable Credit will be given.

Imported in the Mary, Capt. Deverson, from London via New-York, and to be sold, by
ANDREW JOHNSTON, & Comp.
in Perth-Amboy;

An Assortment of European and India Goods; suitable for the Season.—*The New York Mercury, June* 14, 1762.

West-New-Jersey, June 11*th*, 1762.

WHEREAS Mary, the Wife of Charles Hoffman of Greenwich, Gloucester County, hath eloped from her Husband, without any reasonable Cause; These are therefore to give Notice to all Persons, not to trust, or give the said Mary any Credit on his Account; for he will not pay any Debts of her contracting.

Witness his hand the Day and Year aforesaid,

CHARLES HOFFMAN.

—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1019, *June* 17, 1762.

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The PUBLIC *is hereby informed,*

That there is a Ferry erected at and opposite to Bordentown, from which there is an exceeding good Road, well cleared, and safe for Carriages, that leads into the Post Road, about five Miles above Bristol, which makes it the nearest, and by far the pleasantest Road from Philadelphia to Bordentown, Allentown, Amboy, Middletown, Shrewsbury, Freehold &c. and is several Miles nearer to New York than the Post Road: There are good Boats, and Houses of good Entertainment at both the abovesaid Ferries, and also at convenient Stages, on the Roads leading to the several Places above mentioned.

J. Borden, jun. J. Kirkbride

N. B. Any Number of Gentlemen or Ladies, not exceeding five, may have a genteel covered light Waggon to convey them from Bordentown to Shrewsbury, upon any Monday, from the Date hereof, for Thirty-five Shillings, the Run down, by me

B. Cook.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1747, *June* 17, 1762.

NEW-JERSEY.

By His Excellency JOSIAH HARDY, Esq; Captain General and Governor in Chief in and over the Province of Nova-Caesarea, or New-Jersey, and Territories thereon depending in America, Chancellor and Vice-Admiral in the same, &c.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS from the Information I have received, I have just Reason to believe, that there is a Design to supply the Enemy with Provisions from some of the Ports in this Province; and as large Quantities of

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Provisions are now wanted for his Majesty's Service; I Have thought fit, by the Advice and Consent of his Majesty's Council, to lay, AND I Do hereby lay, a Prohibition and Embargo on all Ships or Vessels laden or to be laden with Provisions, and clearing out from any of the Ports or Places in New-Jersey, excepting such Ships or Vessels, as shall be laden and employed in his Majesty's Service; and excepting the Boats and Shallops carrying common Produce to the New-York and Philadelphia Markets. AND I Do hereby order and direct the Directors of his Majesty's Customs, and Naval Officers of the several Ports within this Province, to be vigilant and careful, that this Proclamation be duly obeyed: And all his Majesty's liege Subjects, are hereby strictly charged and commanded to be aiding and assisting to the Collectors and Naval Officers, in the Discharge of their respective Duties, as they will answer the Contrary at their Peril.

GIVEN under my Hand and Seal at Arms, in Council, at Perth-Amboy, in New-Jersey, the 5th Day of June, in the Year of Our Lord, 1762.

JOSIAH HARDY

By His Excellency's Command,

CHA. READE, Secry.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

New-York, June 21. Friday Evening last JOHN SMYTH, Esq; of Perth-Amboy, was married to Miss SUSANNA MOORE, of this Place, Daughter of the late Col. Moore; a Lady possessed of many eminent Virtues, and of a graceful Person.

We hear the Right Hon. the Earl of Stirling, is appointed one of his Majesty's Council for this Province.

Perth-Amboy, June 18, 1762.

RUN-away from his bail about 10 days ago, a certain

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Dennis M'Mahan, by trade a black-smith, about 28 years of age, about 5 feet 6 inches high, of a brown complexion, full faced, pretty much pitted with the small pox, and born in Ireland: Had on when he went away, a lightish colour'd blue coat, a green cut velvet jacket, buff colour'd plush breeches, a brown cut wig, and a half worn beaver hat, but very probable he may change his cloaths. Whoever takes up said M'Mahan, and secures him in any goal, so that the subscriber, living in Perth-Amboy, may have him again, shall have five pounds New York currency reward, and all reasonable charges, paid by me

GEORGE JOHNSON

N. B. It is supposed he is gone to Philadelphia.—*The New York Mercury, June* 21, 1762.

Custom-House, Philadelphia, Entered In. Schooner Sally, Edward Butler, from Piscataway. Brig Harlequin, Lawrence Furlong, from Ditto. Sloop Joanna, William Bartlett from Salem. Sloop Abigail, Peter Grover from Ditto.

Outwards. Sloop Abigail, Peter Groves, for Salem.

Cleared. Schooner Lively, William Watson, to Salem.

June 24.

Pursuant to an Order of the House of Representatives of the Province of *New-Jersey,* publick Notice is hereby given, That *Joshua Lad, Samuel Cousens,* and other Owners of the Meadows on the East Side of *Mantua* Creek, in the County of *Gloucester* intend to apply to the next Sessions of General Assembly for the said Province, for an Act *To oblige the several Parties therein concerned, to maintain the Bank and Sluices in proper repair.* When all Persons having any Objections thereto, are desired to make the same.

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Philadelphia, June 10, 1762.

FORTY SHILLINGS *Reward.*

RUN-AWAY this Morning, from the Subscriber, An Irish Servant Boy, named Richard Mullharron alias M'Carron, is about 5 Feet 4 Inches high. Had on, and took with him, a lightish coloured Fustin Jacket, with Sleeves, and Breeches of the same, both new and old Coat of Silk Saggathy, a Scotch Plad Jacket without Sleeves, and sundry white and Check Shirts, white and brown Thread, Cotton and Worsted Stockings: wears his own Hair, which is long and redish, and lately cut short on the Crown of his Head, his left Eye is black, and scratched in the Face, which is freckled. He has been at work a few Days on board of a Vessel, his hands and Cloathes are tarry, and he may pretend to pass for a Sailor. Whoever secures said Servant in any Goal, and sends Word to the subscriber, so that he may have him again shall have the above Reward, paid by

JAMES WALLACE.

N. B. He was taken up at Trenton, but soon went off again.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1020, *June* 24, 1762.

This is to give public Notice, that on Monday, the 7th of this inst. June there came to the House of William Robeson, Innkeeper, in Amwell, An Irishman, about 30 Years of Age, 5 Feet 7 or 8 Inches high, well set, Pockmark'd, of a redish Complexion: Had on An old grey Bearskin Great Coat, blue Cloth Vest, with blue Lining, blue Everlasting Breeches, grey ribbed Stockings, Channel Pumps, with Brass Buckles in them, a Beaver Hat, black Neckcloth, and a check Shirt. Said Irishman stole a Pair of Brass Spurs from said Robeson, which were found in his Pocket, Robeson making a Stir to go and get

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a Constable, in the mean while the Thief made off, and left behind him a black Horse, about 8 Years old, 14 Hands and a Half high, paces and trots, high back'd, branded on both Shoulders, also an old Saddle and Bridle, a Pair of Iron Hopples, a Padlock, Check Handkerchief, a small Silver Watch, with a China Face, William Clayton, Maker. All said Things and Horse are supposed to be stolen; the Owners of said Horse and Things by applying to Joseph Robeson, Ferryman and Innkeeper, in Solesbury, Bucks County, on describing their other Marks, proving their Property, and paying Charges, may have the Horse and Things again.

JOSEPH ROBESON.

WHEREAS on Monday Night last (June 14) some malicious Person was at the Pains to carry a large Rock of 4 or 500 Weight, and place it in the Middle of the Fishing-ground where I draw my Seine: The chief Person suspected is one N. P. living near Trenton, he having told three credible Persons, that I catched so many Fish as spoiled his Trolling, and had asked one or two to lend him a Hand in placing a large Rock Stone in my Way; that he would lay it in such a Manner, that when I went out with my Seine it should run under the Rock, and then the D——l could not get it out; and that he would carry it out in a Flat, on a Platform, or Board, so as to let it down easy, with the Edge upwards, just as he would have it. Accordingly the next Day going out with my Seine, found such a Rock as that Person described, and two more with it, which tore my Seine, and did me considerable Damage, besides losing the most promising Part of the Season. And as the Place where I fish is no Man's particular Property (being almost in the Middle of the River, and free for any Person) to prevent others from meeting

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with the like Obstructions, have thought proper to publish the same, with a Reward of Five Pounds, to any one that will impeach either of the Persons concerned in this base Action, so as he or they may be brought to Justice.

Edward Broadfield

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1748, *June* 24, 1762.

New-York, June 28. From the County of Morris, in New-Jersey, we learn, that on the 7th Instant, a Lad going down into the Well of William Beard, of that Place, it caved in with him when he was 18 Feet down; but the Neighbours being called together, they got him out alive tho' considerably bruised after three Hours hard Working, and he is like to do very well.

From Roxbury, in the same County, we learn, That last Wednesday Fortnight, a Man named Nathaniel Coleman, helping to raise a Grist Mill at that Place, fell down 18 Feet among a Number of Rocks, and was very much bruised, but it is thought will do well.

WHEREAS many Persons that bought Goods at the Vendue, belonging to the Estate of Mr. James Van Horne, (at Dover[1] in New-Jersey) remain still indebted to said Estate. Notice is hereby given, that unless they discharge their respective Ballances by the first Day of August next, to Mr. John Berrian, at Rockey Hill, or to James M'Evers and William Cockroft, at New-York, they will be sued without further Notice.

To be Sold,

A Lot of Land, situate and lying in the Township of Mendem, in Morris County, and Province of East New-

[1] Near Cheesequakes, Middlesex county.

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Jersey, containing about 40 Acres, well watered; a considerable Quantity of good Meadow, a Refinery of Iron Works, with a good Saw-Mill, two Coal-Houses, a good Dwelling-House, all in good Order. Any Person inclining to purchase may apply to the Subscriber, who lives on the Premises, and will agree on reasonable Terms.

BENJAMIN HATHAWAY.

Surveyor-General's Office, Perth-Amboy, April 30, 1762.

It is the Surveyor-General's Orders, that the Deputy Surveyors of the Eastern Division of the Province of New-Jersey, do each of them, by the first Day of August, 1763, return into this Office a Map of the Districts for which they are deputed, marking therein all the Tracts actually surveyed by them; and also (from the best Information they have or can procure by the Day aforesaid) all the Rivers, Creeks and Brooks, Lakes, Ponds, Swamps and Marshes, Rifts and Falls of Water, Mountains, Hills, Gaps and Points of Hills, Roads, Bridges, Fords and Ferries, Lines of Counties and Townships, Towns, Churches, Meeting-Houses, Court-Houses, Prisons, Mills, Furnaces and Forges, Farm-Houses, and whatever else is remarkable, and that the said Maps be all formed on a Scale of 50 Chains to an Inch. It is also the Surveyor-General's Orders, that the said Deputies do each of them return into this Office by the first Day of January next, a Certificate of the Variation of the Compass, taken at some Court-House, Church, or Meeting-House within their respective Districts, in the Month of November or December next.

By Order of the Surveyor-General,

THOMAS BARTOW.

—*The New York Mercury, June* 28, 1762.

Custom-House, Philadelphia, Entered In. Schooner Sally, Edward Butler, from Piscataway. Brig Harle-

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quin, L. Furlong, from Ditto. Sloop Joanna, William Bartlett, from Salem. Sloop Abigail, Peter Groves, from Ditto.

Cleared. Sloop Elizabeth, John Seaward, to Piscataway.

July 1.

RUN-away from Moore Furman, of Trenton, on Saturday last, a Negro Man named Harry, he appears to be about 20 Years of Age, speaks low but proper and can read English, is about 5 Feet 9 Inches high, and slender made, stoops a little, or rather hangs his Head looks down and suspicious when he is spoke to; his Leggs are small and his Feet appear flatter than common tho' not large and when he walks turns his Toes out pretty much and walks heavy; he had on when he went away, an old Bear-skin Jacket much patched and mended, an Ozenbrig Shirt and Trowsers, but as he has a Change of Summer Cloathes with him chiefly made of fagoty or fustian of a pale yellow or snuff Colour, he may alter his Dress. Whoever takes up and secures said Negro, so that his Master may have him again, or will deliver him to the subscriber in Philadelphia, shall receive a Reward of *Forty Shillings,* and be paid all reasonable Charges by

ROBERT LETTIS HOOPER, jun.

N. B. He has not been much used to hard Labour.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1021, *July* 1, 1762.

Run away from Pluckamin Town, Somerset County, an Apprentice named Thomas Adams, 19 Years of Age, 5 Feet 7 or 8 Inches high, dark Complexion, brown Hair; had on when he went away, a Snuff-coloured Thickset Coat, a light blue Plush Jacket, Buckskin Breeches. Whoever takes up and secures said Thomas Adams, in any of

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His Majesty's Goals, so that his Master may have him again, shall have Fifteen Shillings Reward, and all reasonable Charges, paid by

SAMUEL ADAMS.

N. B. All Persons are forbid to harbor him.

RIVINGTON and BROWN

Booksellers and Stationers, at the corner of Market and Front-streets, have purchased the library of ABRAHAM TAYLOR, Esq; among which are a great many publications of the first character: The following are a part of the collection, and the whole with books on almost every subject in print, are sold by them, at very reasonable prices.

FOLIO and QUARTO

An universal history from the earliest account of time to the present, illustrated with maps, cuts, notes . . . .

A bill in the Chancery of New Jersey, at the suit of John Earl of Stair &c. against Benjamin Bond and others, to which is added, several other papers, speeches, &c, &c.—

The Pennsylvania Gazette, No. 1749, *July* 1, 1762.

New-York, July 5. Last Saturday three Weeks, one John Woodsides, a Pedler, was robbed by two Men on Horseback, near Andover Iron Works, County of Sussex and Province of New-Jersey, of Cash and Goods to the Amount of £. 160 Currency. As soon as the Villians approached Woodsides, one of them discharged a Pistol at him not more than 7 Yards distant, but it happily missed him; he then drew his Pistol, (having a good one ready loaded by him) and fired it at the Highwayman, but without Effect also; this Conduct of Woodsides so enraged the Rogues, that one of them run at him with a Cut and Thrust Hanger, and intended to have killed him on the Spot, but after he had received a terrible Wound in his

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right Side, and a large Cut in his Shoulder, he took to his Heels, and escaped, by concealing himself in the Woods.

Last Thursday Se'nnight, died at Perth-Amboy, in an advanced Age, the Hon. Andrew Johnston, Esq; one of his Majesty's Council for the Province of New-Jersey, and Treasurer of the Eastern Division of that Province: A Gentleman of so fair and worthy a Character, that truly to attempt to draw it, would be throwing away Words; He was really equal to what Pope means, when he says, *An honest Man is the noblest Work of God.*

Thursday Night last, Sir William Johnson, arrived here from Easton, New-Jersey, where he was at a Treaty with the Heads of several Tribes of Indians.

Saturday last departed this Life, in an advanced Age, at his Seat at Morrissania, County of Westchester, and Province of New-York, Colonel LEWIS MORRIS, Esq; Judge of the Court of Vice-Admiralty, for this Province.

WANTED,

On George's Road, in New-Jersey, near Brunswick, a good Blacksmith, that understands shoeing of Horses, and Country Work. Whoever wants Employment, shall have a good House and some Land, with Iron, Steel, &c. and all Sorts of Tools necessary for carrying on Business. For further Particulars enquire of the Printer hereof, or of Mr .Thompson, at the Sign of the Ship, in Brunswick.

THE Managers of the Bound-Brook Lottery in New-Jersey, give Notice, That the Drawing of the said Lottery is postponed for some Time, but that it will be drawn as soon as possible, most of the Tickets being already disposed of.—*The New York Mercury, July* 5, 1762.

Wednesday Evening last, sailed from Sandy-Hook, his Majesty's Ships the Enterprize, Captain Holton, of 40

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Guns; the Lizard Frigate, Captain Banks, of 30 Guns; and the Porcupine Sloop of 14 Guns, with 8 Transports having on board his Majesty's 58th Regiment, 4 Companies of Major Gorham's Rangers, and about 500 Provincials; Their Destination we leave our Readers to find out.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1022, *July* 8, 1762.

LIST OF LETTERS remaining in the POST-OFFICE in Philadelphia

Joseph Burgoin, East New Jersey, William Caruthers, Gloucester county. Archibald Douglass, Cumberland county.

Dr. John Eatton, New Jersey.

Esther Hall, Sussex county; William Hamilton, Basken Ridge; John Kelly, Cumberland county.

Samuel Lowdon, West Jersey; Ann Lister, Burlington.

Martin M'Graw (2) Mary M'Kasson, and William Hancock, Esq; Salem. Patrick Ohanlon, Burlington.

Sarah Royal, Cumberland county; Rebecca Rosali (2) Salem; Joseph Rodman, Egg-harbour; Pat Reynolds, Mount-holly. Hezekiah Scull, Cape May

Edward Test, Salem, Adam Weatherby, Salem county.

TO BE SOLD

A Lot of Meadow Ground, situate in Northampton Township, Burlington County, West New Jersey, near Mount-holly Meeting-house, and about a Mile and an Half from Bridge town; containing 22 Acres and an Half. Said Lot may be divided into four Lots, or sold together, as may best suit the Purchaser. A Plan thereof may be seen by applying to the Subscriber.

Likewise a Corner Lot, 50 Feet on Chestnut-street . . .

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Any Persons inclining to purchase said Lots, may know the Terms by applying to

BENJAMIN KENDALL.

Cape May County, June 22, 1762.

The Subscribers propose to apply to the Legislature of New-Jersey, on the 2d Day of their next Sitting, to be impowered, by Law, to erect and maintain a Dam across Dennis's Creek, in the said County, at the Place where the Bank is already begun, about 8 or 10 Rods below the Road and Causeway, that was formerly made down to the said Creek, in Jeremiah Ludlams' Plantation, thereby the better to improve the Meadows, and effectually to stop the Tide out of such Parts of the said Creek as lie above the said Dam; of which all concerned are desired to take Notice.

JEREMIAH LUDLAM, PROVIDENCE LUDLAM.

Just imported in the last vessels from Europe, and sold cheap, by STEPHEN CARMICK

At his store in Water-street, three doors above Market-street, an assortment of merchandize, suitable for the season. . . . .

N. B. Likewise to be sold by the above Stephen Carmick, the house and lots of land where his father lately dwelt, in the town of Salem, New Jersey, a very fertile convenient spot for a small family, accommodated with about 12 acres of choice meadow at the bottom of the lot, two orchards, one of natural, and the other of the choicest grafted fruit, a barn, stable, and large garden, with some of the choicest fruit, such as peaches, pears, cherries, English walnuts and plumbs, and well stocked with asparagus. Also a lot of about 12 acres, near the heart of the town, adjoining the Friend's Meeting, very pleasantly situated, with a navigable landing at the bottom, and would be very

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convenient for a shop or store-keeper. Likewise 500 acres of land, part of a tract of land situate near Oldman's Creek, in Salem county; the land is very good, and exceeding well wooded for staves, rail timber, and best sapling hickory, and very convenient to a navigable landing on said creek. The title is very good, and the Purchaser may have one, two or three years credit, on giving security and paying interest

New Jersey, Essex County.

FIFTEEN POUNDS *Reward*

Made their Escape from Jonathan Hampton, High Sheriff of said County, two Fellows, viz. John Barclay, a short well set Fellow, of a sandy Complexion, talks thick when in Liquor, which often happens, about 50 Years of Age, an Irishman, a Clothier by Trade, and has been long in the Jerseys, about Basking-Ridge. He went off last Winter, on a large brown Mare, that was under Execution. His Clothing was darkish brown, but may be changed. He was some time about Pequea, but it is supposed he is gone farther to the Southward. He forged sundry Bonds, and put his Brother-in-law, Andrew Armstrong's Name to them; on one of which he was sued, but escaped before the Affair was made public.

William Hamilton, an Irishman, about 55 Years of Age, a stout, lusty, ill-looking Fellow; went off about six Weeks ago, in a two Horse Cart, and took his Son and Daughter with him, supposed to be gone towards Sasquehanna. He is a Butcher, has sore Eyes, wears greyish dirty Clothes, and bob Wig; his Son an impudent Boy. He was under two Arrests; to one of which Sylvester Coler became his special Bail. The other was for taking Sheep from the Camp at Staten-Island; but as he positively denied it, the Sheriff did not lock him up, but gave

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him the Liberty of the House, and left him to stand the Trial, or pay the Plaintiffs. Whoever apprehends said Barclay and Hamilton, and sends Notice thereof to the Subscribers, shall have Five Pounds Reward for Barclay, and Ten Pounds for Hamilton, and reasonable Charges, paid by

Jonathan Hampton, and Sylvester Coler.

Run away from the Subscriber, living in Salem County, West Jersey, on the 26th of June, a Servant Man, named John Stedham, about five Feet, six Inches high, of a red Complexion, short black curled Hair, and very much given to Drink: Had on when he went away, a new Felt Hat, an Ozenbrigs Shirt, an old light coloured napt Coat, with broad Metal Buttons, a white homespun Jacket, with Thread Buttons, and Sleeves, Leather Breeches, made Dutch Fashion, with Metal Buttons, light coloured home made Worsted Stockings, and old Shoes, with Brass Buckles, one of them large, the other a small square one. Whoever takes up and secures said Servant, so that his Master may have him again, shall have Five Pounds Reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by

SOLOMON SMITH.

N. B. All Masters of Vessels are forbid to carry him off at their Peril.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1750, *July* 8, 1762.

Now in Morris County Goal, in the Province of New-Jersey, a Man supposed to be Alexander Crawford, advertised in the Mercury some Time ago by Aaron Hulty, of Marcus Hook, and Province of Pennsylvania.—*The New York Mercury, July* 12, 1762.

[In the] List of Contributions and Legacies [to the Pennsylvania Hospital] since the 16th of July 1761, the

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Date of the last General List published, to the 28th of Fourth Month (April) 1762

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Andreas Waggoner, New Jersey	0	15	0

Run away from John Rambo, of Mantua Creek, Gloucester County, West New-Jersey, on the 8th Inst. A Servant Lad, named John Cannon, but it is supposed he will change his Name, as he has done so before, he is about 5 Feet 2 or 3 Inches high, wears his own black strait hair, grey Eyes and black Eye-brows, has an impudent Look, and is pretty talkative: Had on when he went away, A half worn Felt Hat, coarse brown homespun Shirt, coarse Tow Trowsers, old bluish homespun Coat, pretty much patched, old Shoes, with Brass Buckles, and took with him a Pair of homespun Thread Stockings, and supposed an old grey Coat and old blue Jacket. He went away in an old Cedar Canoe, with her Sides broke, and cut down almost to the Water, and it is supposed he intended for Pennsylvania, or to get on board some Vessel. Whoever takes up and secures said Servant, so that his Master may have him again, shall have 20 Shillings Reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by

John Rambo.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1751, *July* 15, 1762.

A Likely Negro Wench, 34 Years old, with 2 Children, to be sold, by Joseph Hadden, at Newark, in New-Jersey: She is sold for no Fault, and can be well recommended. She is fitted for the Country, having always lived there.—*The New York Mercury, July* 19, 1762.

Custom-House, New York, Cleared for Departure. I. Munds, to Perth-Amboy.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1024, *July* 22, 1762.

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Custom House, New York, Outwards Brig Boone, I. Munds to Perth-Amboy.

New Jersey, Essex County.

Twenty Pounds Reward.

Two Prisoners made their Escape from Jonathan Hampton, High Sheriff of Essex County, viz. John Barclay, born in Ireland, short well-set Fellow, about 50 Years old, sandy Complexion, talks thick and palavering when drunk, generally wears dark Cloaths; a Clothier by Trade. Took a brown Mare, Bridle and Saddle, that were under Execution. He forged many Bonds, and got Money upon them, for which he was arrested and escaped.

William Hambleton, a lusty, ill-favored, dirty, slouching Butcher, born in Ireland, about 50 Years old; wears a Wig: He went off with his Son and Daughter, in a two Horse Cart, much like himself for Rigging. It is said he has Land over Sasquehanna. Sylvester Cole bailed him in one Action, another is for stealing Sheep, on these he escaped. Eight days ago they both were at Andrew Makgoun's, near Lancaster Road, about a Mile and a Half from the White Horse Tavern, at Pequea, where my Under-Sheriff came up with and saw them, but, by Makgoun's Assistance, they got from him; he followed them close for 20 Miles towards a Ferry above Harris's, on Sasquehanna, but they took to the Woods and escaped. Makgoun and the Prisoners all lately lived at Basking Ridge. As Hambleton's Children and Cart were at Makgoun's, they will be there again. Whoever apprehends both, or either of them, and secures them, so that I may have them again, shall have for Barclay Six Pounds, and for Hambleton Fourteen Pounds, and reasonable Charges paid by

Jonathan Hampton, Sheriff and
Sylvester Cole, Special Bail

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N. B. If a Letter is sent to Philadelphia Post Office, I shall get it. July 15, 1762.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1752, *July* 22, 1762.

Perth-Amboy, July 18, 1762.

ALL Persons indebted to the Estate of the late Andrew Johnston, Esq; deceased, either on Bond, Bill, or Book Debt, are desired to pay. And all those to whom he was indebted, are desired to send in their Demands, that they may be settled and paid, by

JOHN BARBERIE
JOHN JOHNSTON, } Executors.
STEPHEN SKINNER

To be Sold,

A Tract of choice Wood-Land, situate, lying and being on the South Side and adjoining to the River Rariton, in the East Division of the County of Somerset, and Province of New-Jersey, opposite to the Town of Bound-Brook; as there is a Bridge now erecting over the said River, the Timber and Wood thereon will become exceeding beneficial to the Town, as the Carting from the Land to Town is but a very small Distance. Any Person whatsoever inclinable to purchase, may apply to ABRAHAM ABRAHAMS, in New-York, near the Long-Bridge, who will give an indisputable Title for the same.—*The New York Mercury, July* 26, 1762.

New-York, July 26.

This day se'nnight his Majesty's ship Gosport, Capt. Jarvis of 44 Guns, arrived at Sandy-Hook, from England, but last, from Virginia, whither she had been as convoy to the Virginia fleet. She has brought over about 130,000

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Pounds sterling, for the King's Use; which money was the next day landed in this city, and on Wednesday the Gosport sail'd again, said to be bound to Halifax.

Custom-House, Philadelphia, Outwards. Sloop Henry and Mary, Henry Krebbs, for Amboy.

Cleared. Sloop Sally, Charles King, to Salem, New-Jersey. Sloop Ready Money, Thomas Joell, to Ditto. Sloop Henry and Mary, Henry Krebbs, to Amboy.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1025, *July* 29, 1762.

TO BE SOLD.

A Tract of Land, situated on Mantua Creek, in the County of Gloucester, containing near 400 Acres, about 40 whereof are Tide Meadow, within Bank, and about 20 Acres of Timber Swamp will make extraordinary Meadow; on which said Land are two Dwelling-houses and two Orchards, about 60 Acres cleared Land, and a good Landing on said Creek, the rough Land mostly well timbered. Any Person inclining to purchase the same, may be informed of the Title and Terms of Sale, by applying to Rachel Wood, and Ebenezer Miller, jun. Execut. to William Wood, deceased.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1753, *July* 29, 1762.

South-Ward, of the City of Perth-Amboy, July 26, 1762.

Whereas the Wife of Peter Buckelew, senior, has eloped from his Bed and Board. This is to forewarn all Persons from either Trusting or Harbouring her on his Account, as he will pay no Debts of her contracting from the Date hereof.

PETER BUCKELEW, Senior

—*The New York Mercury, August* 2, 1762.

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August 5.

RUN-away from the subscribers Living in *New-hanover* in *Burlington County West New-Jersey,* Last Sunday Night, a servant man named *William Kosady,* belonging to *Burbage Brock,* and an Apprentice Lad named *Joseph Jones,* belonging to *Samuel Estill,* said servant is about Twenty two years of Age, about six foot high fresh Coloured wears his own Brown Hair tied behind, had on when he went away a Brown home spun Tammey Coat, and old Scarlet broad Cloath west coat. Lined with Linnen, an Ozenbriggs shirt, a pair of striped Trowsers, with Buckles in his Shoes, and a Broad brimed hat turned up before and behind, he is Commonly pretty Talkative. said Apprentice is Between 19 and 20 years of Age, about 5 feet 6 Inches high, Pale complection, he wears his own Hair which is of a Lightish colour, had on when he went away a Brown Camblet Coat, a white swanskin west, Ozenbriggs shirt and trowsers, whoever takes up said servant and Apprentice, shall have six POUNDS Reward, if brought home or secured in any Goal, and all Reasonable Charges. Five POUNDS for said servant and Twenty Shillings for said Apprentice, paid by,

BURBAGE BROCK
SAMUEL ESTILL,

—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1026, *August* 5, 1762.

LIST *of* LETTERS *remaining in the* POST-OFFICE *in Philadelphia*

Samuel Anderson, Cumberland County, John Craven, Salem. William Lister, Burlington. Richard Rounsifer, West Jersey. Casper Smith, Gloucester, Joel White, East Jersey.

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TWENTY POUNDS REWARD

On the 12th of June last one John Woodside, of the City of Philadelphia, Pedlar, travelling from the House of Peter Drugoe, in Sussex County, East Jersey, on the Road to Anderson Furnace, was attacked by two Men, and after some Resistance made his Escape, having received two Wounds, one on his Left Side, the other on the Back of his Neck, and was at the same Time robbed of Sixty Pounds in Cash, and about Eighty Pounds worth of Goods, such as Calicoes, Cottons, Chintzes, printed Linen, long, clear and flowered Lawns, sundry Sorts of Silk and Linin Handkerchiefs, Sattin, Pelong, solid Silver Buttons, with a Variety of other Goods, such as Pedlars use to carry; and as it is probable, by several Circumstances, that the said Goods were carried over Hunter's Ferry, on Delaware, into the Frontiers of Pennsylvania, by some Person not immediately concerned in said Robbery (the two Persons suspected being apprehended and taken) therefore whoever secures said Goods, so as the Subscriber may have them again, shall have Fifteen Pounds Reward, or in Proportion for any Part of them, and Five Pounds for any Person that exposes the said Goods to Sale, if brought to Justice, paid by the Subscriber, living in Penn-street, Philadelphia.

John Woodside

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1754, *August* 5, 1762.

The Managers of the Bound-Brook Lottery give Notice, That they intend drawing said Lottery the latter End of this present Month of August; and that they have a few Tickets remaining on Hand to dispose of, which will be sold to those that apply.

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To be Sold,

Within the Borough of Elizabeth-Town, at a place called Turkey;

A Good dwelling House newly built, 50 Feet in length and 27 in breadth, together with 5 Acres of good Meadow adjoining the same, and is well situated for a Country Store, as it has been proved by the Owner for some Years past, and the Store will be continued, till the Place is sold, the Price is £. 150 York Money: For further Particulars, enquire of me living on the Premises.

DANIEL COE.

RUN-away, from the Subscriber, living at Bound Brook, County of Somerset, and Province of New-Jersey, two Apprentice Lads, one of them named, William Kelly, 18 Years old, long brown Hair, about 5 Feet and 6 Inches, a well-set likely Boy: The other named Jacob Harris, 18 Years old light coloured Hair, and pretty short, and as they took two Suits of Cloaths each, 'tis needless to describe their Cloathing: They are both Taylors by Trade. Whoever takes up and secures the said Lad, so that their Master may have them again, shall have Ten Dollars Reward for both or five dollars for any one of them, and all reasonable Charges paid, by

ELIAS VAN COURT

N. B. All Masters of Vessels are forbid to carry them off, and other Persons from entertaining them at their Peril.—*The New York Mercury, August* 9, 1762.

A SCHOOLMASTER,

Well recommended, is wanted at Bordentown, in New Jersey.

NEWPORT, Rhode Island, August 3

We hear that Captain Holway, in a Brig from this Port bound to Philadelphia, is cast away upon Barnegat.

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New Jersey, Burlington County, August 10, 1762.

Run away from the Subscriber, living in Chester Township, in said County, a Servant Man named Thomas Brown, about 25 Years old, 5 Feet 8 Inches high, brown Complexion, black bushy Hair, with a Scar on the Side of his Head, a little above his Forehead, whereon lightish-coloured Hair grows: Had on when he went away, a lightish-coloured Coat, patched with Bearskin on the Back, striped Lincy Jacket, old patched Trousers, and has a sore Leg. Whoever takes up said Servant, and secures him in any Goal, so as his Master may have him again, shall have Thirty Shillings Reward, with all reasonable Charges, paid by the Subscriber, or Martin Ashburn, or Mr. Whitehead, in Philadelphia.

Darby Durell.

To be sold by the Subscriber, living in the Township of Kingwood, in the County of Hunterdon, and Province of New Jersey, the following Premises: One over-shot Stone Grist-mill, with about 100 Acres of Land; a Stone Dwelling-house, with a Frame House adjoining, and Buildings convenient for keeping Store, so as to front between 60 and 70 Feet, at which Place a Store hath been kept for upwards of 20 Years past; two bearing Orchards, the one grafted Fruit; about 10 Acres of Meadow, a Frame Barn, Stables &c. this Mill chiefly employed in grinding Grists, having a very great Run of Country Custom. Also one Breast Grist-mill, chiefly kept for Merchants Work, at which a considerable Quantity of Flour is made yearly; a Saw-mill, for accommodating the Works with Boards, Stuff, &c. with about 100 Acres of Land; a Stone Dwelling-house and two Log-houses; 15 Acres of Meadow, and a Quantity of Swamp for making more Meadow; with a well frequented Stone Tavern and Stone

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Kitchen, the House affording five Rooms and a Cellar; the said Tavern is in the Cross-roads, leading from Trenton and New Brunswick to the Forks of Delaware, &c; a Well of good water at the Door, and a very good Spring not above 60 Paces distant: The Tavern, with some Meadow, and about 30 Acres of Land (15 whereof Woodland) may be sold separate. Likewise to be sold a Fulling-mill, and Stone Dwelling-house, with about 30 Acres of Land, about 4 Acres thereof Meadow. Also a Plantation of about 70 Acres of Land, a Stone House and Log Addition, a young Orchard, and about 8 Acres of Meadow before the Door, with a good Spring near the House. And a Plantation of about 60 or 70 Acres, a square Log-house, a good Spring at the Door, and Spring-house, with some Meadow and some Woodland. Likewise about 60 Acres of Wood-land to be sold. The Subscriber has also for Sale, a Forge, with two Fires, for refining Pig Metal into Bar Iron, with 70 or 100 Acres of Land, together with a Coal-house, and other Houses for accommodating Workmen, being capable of making about 50 Tons of Bar Iron yearly: The said Forge lies very convenient to a Tract of Land called the Great Swamp, from whence it hath been supplied with a considerable Quantity of Coal-wood Gratis, and more is offered on the same Terms. A Part of the aforesaid Premises being under Rent for near 200l. per Annum, and the rest, at a moderate Computation, might be rented at 125l. per Annum. The Reason of its being divided into Parcels is to accommodate Purchasers, as it was thought it might be a heavy Purchase for one Person; but if any such Purchaser should present, it may all be sold together. The whole pleasantly situated in a little Country Village, convenient to Places of Worship of three different Denominations, viz. Church, Presbyterians and Quakers, the farthest not exceeding three

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Miles. The Terms of Sale will be, the Purchaser or Purchasers to pay Half down at entering on the Premises, and the Remainder in reasonable Payments. A sufficient Warrant and Deed will be made, on paying the one Half of the Purchase Money, and giving Security for the Remainder, by me

CHARLES HOFF, jun.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1755, *August* 12, 1762.

Custom-House, Philadelphia, Entered In. Schooner Isabella, Thomas Simpson, from Piscataway. Sloop Industry, Robert Lawton, from Ditto.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1027, *August* 12, 1762.

August 19.

To be Sold, at Robert's Ferry, commonly known by the Name of Benjamin Cooper's Ferry, Cooper's Point New-Jersey:

A Parcel of choice healthy
Young Slaves,
Men, Women, Boys and Girls.

ATTENDANCE will be given by Capt. BRUCE, Master of the Sloop Hester, in which they were imported from the Windward Coast of Africa.

Being Negroes from the most established Parts of the Coast of Africa, for being good House or Plantation Slaves.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1028, *August* 19, 1762.

To be Lett for a Term of Years,

A Plantation, situate on the Mispillion Creek in the County of Sussex, containing upwards of 100 Acres of cleared Land, with two good Orchards thereon; together with a commodious Dwelling-house, Barn, Stables, Ware-

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houses, and other Out-houses, very suitable for a Person in Trade, as there is a public Road laid out to a convenient Landing thereon, with the Advantage of Water Carriage from thence, at the easy Rate of Three-pence per Bushel for Wheat or Indian Corn to Philadelphia. There are also about 40 Acres of Cripple cleared, and partly ditched, which may be made good Meadow, without much Expence. Any Person inclining to rent, may know the Terms, by applying to the Subscriber living on the Premises.

Benjamin Wynkoop.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1756, *August* 19, 1762.

Just imported, a Parcel of fine young Negroe Slaves, Men, Women, Boys and Girls, and to be sold at Daniel Cooper's Ferry, in the Jerseys, opposite the City of Philadelphia, by

DAVID M'MURTRIE

Merchant in Water-street. Attendance will be given from Nine to Twelve in the Forenoon, and from Two to Five in the Afternoon.

THREE POUNDS REWARD.

Run away on the 17th of August inst. from the Subscriber, of Penn's Neck, in Salem County, one William Curry, an Irishman, about five Feet, two Inches high, supposed to be about 35 Years of Age, sandy Complexion, much freckled on his Face and Hands, light brown curled Hair, takes a great deal of Snuff, his Legs are pretty thick and short, steps very short in walking, says he is a Barber by Trade, but has been used to Plantation Work for several Years past; the Clothes he wore is uncertain, but supposed to be a Raccoon lopt Hat, homespun Shirt, reddish brown or Chocolate coloured Stockings, and is supposed

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to have rode a dark brown pacing Mare, between two and three Years old, with an old Saddle, and pretty good Bridle. Whoever secures said Curry in some Prison, and sends Word to the Subscriber, shall have the above Reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by

George Trenchard.

To be SOLD, *and may be entered on immediately,*

A Valuable Plantation, pleasantly situated in the Town of Salem, in the Province of West New Jersey, containing about 70 Acres, 20 whereof is good Meadow, on which are a good Brick House, Barn, Stables, &c. Likewise about 60 Acres of good Woodland, and about 23 Acres of Land and Meadow. Also 8 Acres of Meadow; the whole under good Fence, and in extraordinary good Order, to be sold together or separate, as best suits the Purchaser. For further Particulars, enquire of Robert Johnson, near the Premises, or of John Hart, on Society hill, Philadelphia.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1757, *August* 26, 1762.

Custom-House, Philadelphia, Cleared. Sloop Islington, William Warner, to Piscataway. Schooner Isabella, Thomas Simpson, to Piscataway.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1029, *August* 26, 1762.

September 2.

RUN-away from the Subscriber on the 27th of this Instant, in Cumberland County, New-Jersey, A Mulatto Slave, named James, about 34 years of age, about 5 feet 4 inches high; had on when he went away, an old striped lincey Jacket, striped Shirt and Trowsers, a new felt hat, good shoes, with square steel Buckles in them, one of his fore fingers is crooked, which he cannot straighten. Who-

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ever takes up said Slave, and secures him in any Goal, so that his Master may have him again, shall have FORTY SHILLINGS reward, and all reasonable Charges paid by me.

Benjamin Mulford.

N. B. He is a Tanner by Trade. All Masters of Vessels are forbid to carry him off.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1030, *September* 2, 1762.

LIST *of* LETTERS *remaining in the* POST OFFICE *in Philadelphia*

Walter Gregory, Cumberland County,
James Lyon Cumberland County.
James Mulock, Haddonfield; Mary M'Roy, Salem.

STOLEN from the New Still-House, or thereabouts, an half worn Olive-green Coat, for a small sized Man, lined with half worn Bristol Stuff. Whoever brings the said Coat to the New Printing-Office, in Market street, Philadelphia, and the Thief to the Work-house, shall have Thirty Shillings Reward, and all reasonable Charges, paid by

JONATHAN RUMFORD, of West New-Jersey.

To be sold by public Vendue, at the London Coffee-House on the Sixth of October next, at Five o'Clock in the Evening, A Plantation, or Tract of Woodland, containing about 312 Acres (be the same more or less) in the County of Sussex, in the Province of New-Jersey, situated between the River Delaware, and the Bounds of the Eastern Division of said Province, near the Hill called Tenungauchung; on which are several good Streams of Water and about 30 or 40 Acres of good Swamp, which will make Meadow. Also a Body of Lime-stone. Said Place lies about four Miles from the River Delaware, and

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about nine or ten Miles above Shippen and Starr's Furnace, belonging to the Estate of Solomon Fussell deceased. For further Particulars, enquire of the Subscribers, who will attend at the Time and Place of Sale. The Title is indisputable.

JOSHUA FISHER, STEPHEN COLLINS, JOHN BURROUGH, Executors.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1758, *September* 2, 1762.

New-York, September 6. On Friday the 23d ult. as Capt. M'Clean (who arrived here Yesterday Se'nnight) came by Barnegat, he saw a Snow standing toward the Land, so near the Shore that he could not speak with her; he imagined she was in Danger of getting aground; and we hear, by an Egg Harbour Man, since arrived, that on Saturday Morning he saw the said Snow aground, about 100 Yards to the Southward of Barnegat Inlet, upon the Bar, about a Mile from the Shore: Her Gunwale was sunk very near to the Surface of the Water; and as the Winds have been easterly most of the Time since, and a large Swell, she is probably beat to Pieces before this Time. Neither of the Vessels that saw her were able to get her any Assistance, or to give any particular Description of her. She had, when she was seen aground, a Burgee Pendant at her Mast Head. As none of our Pilots choose to go so far to the Westward with an easterly Wind, we have not been able to find out what Vessel she is; but it is conjectured she is some stranger to this Coast.

A Person is wanted, that is well qualified to settle Merchant's Books and Accompts; such a one that can be any Ways recommended, may be sure of Employment for

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some Months, and be reasonably rewarded, by applying to,

At Perth-Amboy, Aug. 24, 1762.

JOHN JOHNSTON
JOHN BARBARIE,
STEPHEN SKINNER.

Whereas John Quackinbush, late of the City of New-Brunswick, Cooper, hath eloped from his Wife, and left his Bed and Board, and contrary to all Reason and Christianity, hath contrary to the Laws of Nature and Justice, to stroll about, keeping bad Company, striped her of her Goods and Bedding, that she has nothing left to subsist upon: Therefore these are to inform the Publick, that the said Mary, forewarns any Person or Persons whatever trusting him, for she will pay no Debts he shall contract, from the Day of the Date hereof, as Witness my Hand, the 31st Day of August, 1762.

MARY QUACKINBUSH.

Whereas sundry Persons who bought Goods at the Vendue at Elizabeth Town, in February last, belonging to the Creditors of Thomas Tobin, have neglected to pay for the same; these may serve to acquaint all such Persons, that unless they discharge the same immediately with Robert Ogden, Esq; of Elizabeth Town, their Accounts will be put in Suit.—*The New York Mercury, September* 6, 1762.

This is to give public NOTICE

That on the 29th of August last, at Night, was stolen out of the Pasture of the Subscriber, of Amwell Township, Hunterdon County, in West Jersey, a black Mare, about 14 Hands and one Inch high with a small Star in

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her Forehead, some white on her Feet, shod before, a natural Pacer, carries low, about 10 Years old. She has also got very remarkable large black Teats. Any Person taking up said Mare, and secureing her, so that the Owner may have her again, shall have Thirty Shillings Reward, and reasonable Charges; and if the Thief with the Mare, and secures him, so as he may be brought to Justice, Three Pounds Reward for both, and reasonable Charges, paid by

Richard Holcombe.

N. B. She has been lately gauled by working with a Collar.

Run away from James Smith, of Burlington, on the 3d of this Inst. September; a Mulattoe Servant Man, named Jack, or John Johnson, about 24 Years of Age; he had a bushy Head of Hair, stoops as he walks, splaw footed: Had on when he went away, a light coloured Home-spun Coat and Linen Jacket, with black Glass Buttons, light Fustian Breeches, or else blue Cloth ones, Ozenbrigs Shirt, Worsted Stockings, good Pumps, with carved Brass Buckles in them. He formerly lived with Joseph Biddle of Springfield. He ran away on the 16th of June last, and was committed to Chester Goal. Any Person that takes him up, and confines him in any Goal, and sends Word to his Master, shall have Three Pounds Reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by

James Smith.

N. B. He has old Indentures, and other Papers with him, that he may impose upon the Public with. It is supposed he wants to get on board a Privateer or some other Vessel. All Masters of Vessels are requested not to carry him off.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1759, *September* 9, 1762.

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To be Sold, by

THEOPHILUS WARD,

Of Canoe Brook, in Essex County, New-Jersey;

A Tract of Land and Meadow, containing 225 Acres, a good House, an Orchard of 100 good Apple Trees, and a Nursery of 300 Trees; 100 Peach Trees, and 30 Acres in good Fence and clear'd, Part of which is for mowing, and there can be made 30 Acres of good Mowing; a good Stream through said Farm, with a good Saw Mill; three Quarters of said Mill belongs to said Farm: Whoever purchases said Farm, shall have a good warranted Deed; whoever has a mind to purchase said Farm, may apply to Theophilus Ward, living on said Premises.

Articles for a Twenty, and a Ten Pound Purse, or Plate, to be run for on the Course of Elizabeth Town, in the Field of Isaac Hatfield, about a Mile from the Bridge, on the fifth and sixth days of October, 1762, viz.

On Tuesday the fifth Day of October next, a Plate or Purse value Twenty Pounds, to be run for by any Horse, Mare or Gelding (the winning Horse of the last Hundred Pound run for at New-York, only excepted) each Horse, Mare or Gelding, to carry ten Stone, Saddle and Bridle included, to run the best of three Heats, and three Rounds of the said Course to each Heat; to leave all the Posts on the left Hand, and no Crossing or Jostling but for the last half Mile of each Heat, and that only by the two foremost Horses.

On Wednesday the Sixth of October, a Plate or Purse value Ten Pounds, to be run for by any Horse, Mare or Gelding, the winning Horse of the above mentioned York Plate, and the winning and distanced Horse, of the above mentioned Twenty Pound Plate, also excepted; to run the best of three heats, three Rounds as above, to each

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Heat, to carry eight Stone, Saddle and Bridle included; no crossing or Jostling, but as allowed for the above Twenty Pound Plate.

On Thursday the seventh Day of October the Entrance Money to be run for, by the beaten Horses, who run for the above Plates, and saved their Distance.

Each Horse that runs for any of the above mentioned Plates, to be entred six Days before each of the respective Days of running, with Jecamiah Smith, (there will be appointed proper Judges and Managers) and to pay Entrance for the Twenty Pound Plate or Purse, Twenty Shillings, and for the Ten Pounds, Ten Shillings, or pay double for each, if they enter at the Post.

Elizabeth-Town, Sept. 2, 1762.

Abstracts from the Minutes of the Council of Proprietors of the Eastern Division of New-Jersey.

March 29, 1759.

"Several Surveys of Rivers and Brooks were laid before the Board, which did not include a proper Quantity of Land on each or either Side thereof, which were ordered to be returned, but to prevent such Surveys being recorded for the Future, the Board ordered that no Survey of any Rivers or Brooks whatsoever, made in like Manner be returned without their express Leave."

August 19, 1762.

"The Surveyor General informed the Board, that the Practice of taking up and returning small Slips of Cedar and other Swamps and Pieces of Land, is in his Opinion injurious to the Interest of the General Proprietors, as large Tracts and Quantities of Land thereby remain unlocated, and will also cause Confusion and Uncertainty in making future Surveys, and be thereby detrimental to People in General.

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"Which the Board having considered of, *Ordered,* That for the Future no Return, be made of any small Slip of Cedar, or other Swamps or other Pieces of Land, of less than ten Acres in one Tract, unless the same shall be found to be a Vacancy between former Surveys."

JOHN SMYTH, Regr.

Surveyor General's Office, Perth Amboy, Aug. 27, 1762.

The Deputy Surveyors of the Eastern Division of the Province of New-Jersey, are desired to take Notice of the above Minutes; to make their future Surveys conformable thereto, and to bound them with as few Sides as they possibly can.

To be Sold,

A Tract of Land, adjoining to Saddle-River, in the County of Bergen, within three Miles of the Court-House, of Hackinsack, containing 256 Acres; the Land is very good, and well watered, and a sufficient Quantity of Timber on it, with good fresh Meadow, sufficient for the Stock that it can keep; Also, a good Dwelling-House, Brew-House, Waggon-House, Barn, and all the Utensils thereunto belonging: The said Tract of Land to be sold the 9th Day of October next, at public Vendue, to begin at 10 of the Clock in the Forenoon of the said Day: It is now in the Possession of Jacob Kip, who will give a good Title for the same. It is all in good Fence, and has a young Orchard of 156 bearing Apple Trees on it.—*The New York Mercury, September* 13, 1762.

Custom-House, Philadelphia, Outwards. Sloop Friendship, Christopher Ellery for Piscataway.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1032, *September* 16, 1762.

To be SOLD,

On Tuesday, the 16th Day of November next, at public

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Outcry, on the Premises, between the Hours of 10 o'Clock in the Morning, and 6 in the Evening, a valuable Tract of Land, situate, lying and being in Princetown, in the Province of New Jersey; containing by Estimation, about 125 Acres; bounded on the West by the Farm of Robert Stockton Esq; on the South by the High-way leading from Princetown to Trenton, and on the East by the Subscriber's Farm, whereon he now lives, about 50 Acres of the Premises are cleared, and in good Fence, the Remainder is Wood-Land, well timbered and watered. About 8 Acres of the Stony Brook Meadows will be sold at the same Time. The Situation will make it very convenient for a Gentleman's Seat, or for a Tradesman. The Title is indisputable, and a good and sufficient Deed of Conveyance will be made to the Purchaser, by

RICHARD STOCKTON

N. B. If any Person, inclinable to purchase the above Lands, should chuse a larger Quantity, an Addition of 100 or 150 Acres adjoining may be had.

Philadelphia, September 14, 1762.

WHEREAS frequent Notice hath been given by the Subscriber, for those Persons who were indebted to Isaac Stephens, late of Deptford Township, in Gloucester County, Yeoman, deceased, at the Time of his decease to pay off their respective Debts; and also for those to pay who bought Goods at the Vendue made after his Decease; but little or no Regard hath been paid thereto. Now I James Stephens, of Philadelphia, Baker, surviving Executor to the deceased, do assure such Persons, that unless they speedily pay their Debts, proper Steps will be taken to compel them.

James Stephens.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1760, *September* 16, 1762.

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THE drawing of the Bound-Brook Bridge Lottery is postponed till Monday the 4th of October next, at which Time it will certainly begin drawing. There is yet a few Tickets remaining unsold; which, upon timely Application, may be had of the Managers.

Perth-Amboy, September 17, 1762.

The Managers of the Amboy Church Lottery, hereby give Notice, that said Lottery is drawn, and a List of the Fortunate Tickets will soon be published; they request every one who is indebted for Tickets to pay the same to either of the Managers, that they may be enabled to discharge the Prizes as they are demanded.

Thirty Pounds Reward.

Essex-County } ss
New-Jersey }

Made their Escape from the Sheriff of Essex, two Prisoners, viz.

JOHN BARCKLAY, born in Ireland, about 50 Years old; a short, well-set Fellow, sandy Complexion, dark colour'd Cloths, talks thick and palavering when drunk, which is as often as possible; he is a Clothier by Trade, he lived many Years at Basking Ridge, and some Time lately in Elizabeth-Town.

WILLIAM HAMILTON, a lusty ill-looking Fellow, born in Ireland, about 50 Years of Age; a dirty slouching Butcher, his Cloths uncertain, Sun-burnt Wig, seldom combed, has sore Eyes, often drunk; he has also lived at Basking-Ridge. They both went to one Andrew M'Goun's, late of Basking-Ridge, who now lives at Pequea, near Lancaster; where I sent after them, and by the Assistance of the said M'Goun, they got off and took to the Woods; but I am informed, they are lurking about Basking-Ridge, and concealed by some vile Persons.

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Whoever will apprehend the said William Hamilton, and confine him in any Goal, and send Word to me that I may have him again, shall have Twenty Pounds Reward, and for John Barcklay Ten Pounds, paid by

JONATHAN HAMPTON, Sheriff.

P. S. Silvester Cole was Bail in another Action, for said Hamilton

Elizabeth-Town, Sept. 14, 1762.

—*The New York Mercury, September* 20, 1762.

Whereas a certain Gilbert Weakes, born in York Government, near the Borders of New-England, came to John Evelman's, with Pretence of having Orders to receive a Horse, left with said Evelman to be disposed of, and by his false Stories obtained said Horse. Said Weakes is of a middle Size, pretty fair Complexion, with blackish Hair and Eyes, has lost two of his fore Teeth; his Apparel not known, having several Changes of Clothes, and dresses very well. Whoever takes up and secures said Weakes, so as he be brought to Justice, shall have Five Pounds Reward, paid by

JOHN EVELMAN.

Run away from the Subscriber, living in Hanover Township, Burlington County, the 8th Instant, a Servant Man, named John Kelly, about 18 Years of Age, fair Complexion, and somewhat marked with the Small-pox, strait yellowish Hair, about five Feet four Inches high, very remarkable for often sucking his Tongue: Had on and took with him when he went away, a dark grey Jacket, Swanskin under Ditto, white and Check Shirts, Snuff coloured Cloth Breeches, light Worsted Stockings, old Shoes, and a half worn Beaver Hat; also a Powder-horn and Shot-bag. Whoever takes up and secures said Ser-

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vant, or brings him to the Subscriber, shall have Three Pounds Reward, paid by

THOMAS FORMAN.

The Managers of St. John's Church Lottery are desired to meet at the House of William Armstrong, in Newark, on the 20th Day of October next early, to settle their Accounts, and pay off what Cash is in their Hands to Trustees to be there appointed, under whose Inspection the said Church is to be built; and if any, who cannot attend, they will please send their Accounts and Cash, if any, to Mr. Allan Gillespie, Merchant in Newark, Dr. Robert Bonis, Messieurs Moses Montgomery, Thomas Charlton, or John Singleton, before said Day. And all Persons who have got Tickets, and not paid for them, are desired to pay the Managers they had them from before then, or they will be immediately sued. All Prize Tickets, not given in before said Day, will not be paid after.

N. B. Likewise to be rented by John Singleton, the House he lives in, being a licensed Tavern, with Meadow and Land sufficient for said Business.

To be Sold by public VENDUE,

All the Estate, both real and personal, of Joseph Wright, of Julias-Town, Springfield Township, and County of Burlington. The Sale to be held at his Dwelling-house; to begin the 12th of October, and continue till the whole are sold.

The Dwelling-house, being a good Frame Building, about 40 Feet front, 25 deep, two Stories high, and three Rooms on a Floor. A commodious new Store adjoining, about 20 Feet front, and 25 deep, is pleasantly situate on a rising Ground, near a public Road, and a good Part of the Country for a Store; a Stable, and other Outhouses,

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a convenient Garden, inclosed with a Board Fence, and a young bearing Orchard, the whole contains upwards of nine Acres of Land. Also 60 Acres of Land, adjoining Land of Jonathan Hough, and about Half a Mile from said Wright's Dwelling-house, about 8 Acres whereof is good Meadow, and more may be made; the whole good Land, and some Part well timbered. And about nine Acres and an Half of Cedar Swamp, ten Miles distant from Julias-Town. Likewise a Variety of Shop Goods and Household Furniture, among which are, a Quantity of Woollens suitable for the Season; a Parcel of Sewing Silk, Pelong, Mohair, Pepper, Alspice, Ginger, Salt, three Fowling Pieces, Swan Shot, a Silver Watch, Tables, Chairs, Pewter, a large Copper Kettle, Iron Pots, several good Feather Beds, with Bedding, and many other Things. Also four Horses, four Cows, a Calf, seven Hogs, a light covered Waggon, Plow, Harrow, Slay, five Load of Hay, nine Acres of Indian Corn in the Ground, and a Variety of Husbandry Utensils. Three Month's Credit will be given to any Purchaser of Thirty Shillings Value, they giving Security if required. Attendance will be given, and a sufficient Title made to the Purchasers.

All Persons indebted to Joseph Wright are desired to pay their respective Ballances to the Subscribers; and those who have any Demands against him, to bring in their Accounts to THOMAS CLIFFORD, URIAH WOOLMAN, BENJAMIN MORGAN, JOSEPH PENNOCK, junior, JONATHAN HOUGH, and JOSEPH LAMB, Trustees for the Creditors.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1761, *September* 23, 1762.

Run away from William Rudderow, of Burlington County, living by Pensawkin Creek, about a Mile above the Bridge, an Irish Servant Girl, named Sarah Reading, about 5 Feet 2 Inches high, well set, marked with the

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Small-Pox, has a small Scar or Seam from her Left Nostril down to the Corner of her Mouth, and has sandy Hair; Had on when she went away, a striped Camblet long Gown, an old Quilt, a striped Woollen Petticoat, a striped Cotton and Linen Ditto, an old Leghorn Hat, a good Sheeting linen Shift, blue Worsted Stockings, Neats Leather Shoes, with Metal Buckles in them; she also took with her two short Gowns, the one a striped Woollen, the other Ozenbrigs, two Tow Aprons, and a Check Ditto. She is supposed to be gone to Philadelphia. Whoever takes up and secures the said Servant, so as her Master may have her again, shall have Thirty Shillings Reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by

WILLIAM RUDDEROW

Any Person that conceals the said Servant, shall be prosecuted as the Law directs.

All Persons indebted to the Estate of Samuel Woodward, late of Chesterfield, in the County of Burlington, deceased, are hereby required to pay the same; and those that have any Demands against the said Estate, to bring in their Accounts, in order to have them settled by ANTHONY WOODWARD, and ABEL MIDDLETON, Executors.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1762, *September* 27, 1762.

Bridgewater Township, Bound Brook, Sept. 1, 1762.

All persons that are any ways indebted to John Anderson, are once more desired to pay the same by the first day of November next, or they may depend on being sued without further notice. If I trust some of my customers one month, they will scold if I demand it in nine or ten; and as I have settled my accounts with my creditors last summer, I expect those indebted will pay me, as I design to trade more in the West India produce.

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N. B. I have a small assortment of European and India goods to sell, cheap, for ready money, or country produce, at market price.—*The New York Mercury, September* 27, 1762.

Custom-House, Philadelphia, Outwards. Brig Friendship, Daniel Basden, for Amboy.

September 30.

STOLEN from the Subscriber's Plantation at Bensalem Bucks County on Delaware, adjoining Dunks's Ferry, a large sorrel Gelding, near fifteen Hands high, about nine Years old, a Star in his Forehead and broad feet, paces, trots, and draws well in a carriage; it is supposed he was seen in possession of a Man above sixty years old, too old for a Thief, inclined to drink and Talk much, who said he lived in Penns Neck, or was going there, doubted and wanted to sell the Horse for quarter part of his value; he had another Horse which he parted with a few Days before, and was at Moore's Town in the Jerseys with this Horse, believed of mine, from whence he pretended to go to Penns Neck, but soon returned with the Horse in Possession of another Man, and his back sore, they said they were going to Mount-Holly but could not be heard of there. Whosoever secures the Horse and bring him to Dunks's Ferry, shall have Twenty Shilling Reward and reasonable Charges. Moreover a Halter for the Theif, not to steal another Horse with, but to cure the Jockey, paid by Mr. Edward Hill, at the said Ferry, or the owner of the Horse living in Philadelphia.

ROBERT GREENWAY.

—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1034, *September* 30, 1762.

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Custom-House, Philadelphia, Entered In. Snow Alexander, Henry Bray, from Burlington.

Outwards. Schooner Charming Molly, James Stillson, for Piscataway.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1035, *October* 7, 1762.

Twenty Dollars Reward,

Run away on the 26th of last Month, from Greenwich Forge, in West New-Jersey, two covenanted Irish Servants, one named Charles Dugray; had on, a striped Shirt, Check Trowsers, new blue napt Jacket, new Felt Hat, new Shoes, and new Germantown Stockings, wears his own Hair, and speaks hoarse, as if he had a Cold. The other named John Howell; had on an Ozenbrigs Shirt, long Check Trowsers, new Felt Hat, old brown Coat, but no Jacket, and new Germantown Stockings; wears his own Hair, has lost the Fore-finger of one of his Hands: They are both about Thirty Years of Age. Whoever takes up and secures said Servants, so as they may be had again, shall have the above Reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by

JACOB STARN or JOHN HUGHES.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1763, *October* 7, 1762.

Princetown, Sept. 30, 1762. Yesterday the Trustees of the College of New-Jersey, with his Excellency the Governor, attended the Commencement. After the usual Procession, and a solemn Invocation of the divine Blessing, on the Business of the Day, and the Candidates for the Honours of the College, the Exercises were introduced by an elegant salutatory Oration in Latin, pronounced by Mr James Manning, one of the Candidates for Bachelor's Degree. The young Gentlemen gave an agreeable Specimen of their Skill in Disputation, which was carried on

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alternately in the Syllogistic and Forenic Way. The Subject of the First, which was syllogistic, was the following Thesis, *Conservatio non est continua Creatio,* which was well defended and opposed. This, agreeable to the Order before mentioned, was succeeded by a forensic Dispute on this Question, *Whether a Prince, endowed with the Virtues of Civil Government, but not with military, is to be preferred to one of the most shining, military Genius, if he is destitute of the Virtues necessary for the governing in Peace ?* Which was decided in the affirmative, after being debated on both Sides with much Spirit and Eloquence. To relax the Attention of the Audience, an English Oration on *Politeness,* was pronounced by Mr. Joseph Periam, which gave universal Satisfaction, from the Justness of the Sentiments, the Elegance of the Composition; and Propriety with which it was deliver'd. The Thesis next debated was, *Anima humana, dum in Corpus infunditur, a Deo immediatè creatur;* which afforded Pleasure to the learned Part of the Auditory: The Exercises of the Forenoon were concluded by a forensic Dispute on this Subject: *Whether Moral, as well as Mathematical Truths, are capable of Demonstration ?* Which was judiciously maintain'd and determined in the Affirmative, to general Satisfaction.

The Entertainments of the Afternoon were begun by a Dispute, which was very ingeniously managed by the Respondent, on this Thesis; *Sensus Moralis, qua simplex Perceptio, atque Moralis Obligationis Fundamentum non datur.* The last Question disputed by the Bachelors being, *Whether* Noah's *Flood was Universal ?* Gave agreeable Amusement to the Auditory, by the popular and pertinent Manner, in which it was canvassed. A valedictory Address in English, pronounced by Mr. Isaac Allan, with a graceful Ease and Propriety, closed the Exercises of the Candidates for the Honour of Batchelor's Degree.

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The following Thesis was also learnedly defended and opposed by the Candidates for Master's Degree, *Deus Hominum sine Virtute morali, non primaris creavit, neque creare potuit.*

After this the following young Gentlemen were admitted to the Honours of Bachelor's of Arts; Hugh Alison, Isaac Allen, Absalom Bainbridge, Ebenezer Davenport, Edmund Davis, Edward Gantt, John Harris, Ebenezer Hazard, John Hurlbut, Nehemiah Ludlum, James Manning, Nathaniel Manning, Thomas Martin, John M'Crea, John Dyer Mercier, Francis Peppard, Joseph Periam, Thomas Ruston, Jonathan Sergeant, Hezekiah Smith, and Caleb White. Also the following Gentlemen were admitted to the Honours of Masters of Art, James Caldwell, Jabez Campfield, John Carmichael, John Huntington, James Lyon, Samuel Nivins, Nathaniel Noyes, Ebenezer Noyes, Joshua Noyes, Thomas Peirce, Henry Sherburne, and William Whitwell: Also the Rev. Mr. Charles Beatty and Jonathan Parsons, received the honorary Degree of Masters of Arts. In behalf of the last mentioned Candidates, was agreeably deliver'd an English Oration by Mr. James Lyon: Mr. Ker, who some Time past had officiated in the Character of a Tutor to good Acceptance, took his Leave of the Society in a short valedictory Address; and the whole concluded with a poetical Entertainment, given by the Candidates for Bachelor's Degrees, interspersed with Choruses of Music, which with the whole Performances of the Day, afforded universal Satisfaction to a polite and crowded Auditory.

Perth-Amboy, Sept. 28. The Judges of the Supreme Court of the Province of New-Jersey, in August Term last, appointed the Circuit Courts for the Eastern Part of the said Province to be held as follows, viz.

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For the County of Sussex, on Tuesday the 14th of October, at the House of Amos Pettit.

For the County of Morris, on Monday the 18th of October, at the Court-House in Morris-Town.

For the County of Bergen, on Tuesday the 21st of October, at the Court-House in Hackinsack.

For the County of Essex, on Monday the 25th of October, at the Court House in Newark.

For the County of Monmouth, on Tuesday the 9th of November at the Court-House, at Lower Freehold.—*The New York Mercury, October* 11, 1762.

October 14.

BORDEN-TOWN Stage,

The Magistrates of Philadelphia having forbid my Boats sailing upon the Sabbath day, puts me under a Necessity of changing my stage days, and the Publick is hereby informed, that from the date hereof, they sail from the Crooked-Billet Wharf in Philadelphia every Monday and Thursday,

October 5. JOSEPH BORDEN *Junr.*

N. B. A large and Commodious Bakehouse, situate upon the Wharf at Borden Town, to be Lett by

JOSEPH BORDEN *Junr.*

PROPOSALS

For Printing by SUBSCRIPTION:

A PLAN of the improved Part of the City of PHILADELPHIA,

With part of the District of SOUTHWARK and NORTHERN LIBERTIES,

Shewing the Streets, Alleys, publick Buildings, Wharffs, River *Delaware,* Island, Sand Barrs, Fort, Part of the *New-Jersey* Shore, &c.

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Survey'd and laid down by the late NICHOLAS SCULL, Esq; Surveyor General of the Province of *Pennsylvania.*

ALSO,

The PLAN of the City, with the Five publick Squares, as published by *Thomas* HOLMES Surveyor-General and a subsequant PLAN, drawn by *Benjamin Eastburn,* Surveyor-General.

CONDITIONS.

1. That the above Plan shall be neatly engraved and printed on a Sheet of the best Imperial Paper.

2. The Price to Subscribers, to be One Spanish Piece of Eight, one half of which to be paid at the Time of Subscribing, and the other Half at the Delivery of the Plan.

3. The Plan will be printed and ready to be deliver'd to the Subscribers by the First Day of *November* next.

SUBSCRIPTIONS are taken in by Messieurs *William Bradford, David Hall, Lewis Weiss,* and by the Editors, *Mary Biddle and Matthew Clarkson.—The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1036, *October* 14, 1762.

Broke out of Trenton Goal, on Monday Night, the Fourth of this instant October, a Negroe Wench, named Venus, formerly the Property of Samuel Stout, junior, in Amwell: Had on, when she went away, a Lincey Jacket and Petticoat; she is likely to have round her Head two or three Handkerchiefs. Whoever takes up said Wench, and secures her, so that she may be delivered to JOHN ALLEN, High Sheriff, at Trenton, or the Goal Keeper, shall have THREE POUNDS Reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by me,

JOHN ALLEN, High Sheriff.

N. B. All Masters of Vessels are forbid to carry her off at their Peril.

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***The Letter from Princetown, relating to the Commencement at the College there, is come to Hand, but for Want of Room, obliged to be deferred till next Week.

Seventeen Pounds Reward.

Whereas a certain John Zenger came to the Dwelling house of Jonas Sutton, in the Township of Amwell, Hunterdon County, and Province of West-New-Jersey, and in a false and fraudulent Manner, obtained from him a Woman's Side-Saddle and Bridle, under Pretence of borrowing them for his Aunt to ride on, who was an aged Woman in the Neighbourhood, with whom said Zenger lived, but he, fraudulently intending, did, in the Night of the 20th of September last, abscond himself from his Uncle's, which was his usual Place of Abode, and has taken his Wife, and said Saddle and Bridle with him. Whoever will take up said John Zenger, and secure him in the Jail of the County aforesaid, shall receive the above Reward of Seventeen Pounds, paid by me

JONAS SUTTON.

N. B. Took away with him two Horses; the one a black Stone Horse, about 14 Hands and an Half high, with some white in his Face, the other Marks not known, paces very well, but his other Gates not known: The other a dark Sorrel Gelding, branded with P A on the left Thigh, about 14 Hands high, paces and trots. . . . Said Zenger is a small Fellow, about 5 Feet 6 Inches high, wears his own brown Hair, has blue Eyes, slender built, with small Legs and Thighs; talks good English and High Dutch, an artful Fellow, and can tell a plausible Story; he was born in New-York, and his Father was a Printer while living in New-York: Had on when he went away, A light coloured Coat, his Jacket somewhat on the brown, had with him a red Jacket, and some other Clothes;

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he had also with him two Yards and a Half of brown Cloth, four Yards of black Cotton Velvet, three new Bags, and some Stocking Yarn. His Wife is a middle sized Woman, of a brown Complexion, and has black Eyes; her Clothes unknown. . . . Said Zenger is about 21 Years of Age, and run away (as is supposed) in Company with a young Man named Henry Falyer.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1764, *October* 14, 1762.

Princetown, October 1, 1762. On Wednesday last the Trustees of the College of New-Jersey, at their first Meeting since the Arrival of his Excellency Governor HARDY, presented him with the following Address.

To his Excellency Josiah Hardy, Esq; Captain General Governor and Commander in chief, in and over his Majesty's Province of Nova Caesaria, or New-Jersey, and Territories thereon depending in America, Chancellor and Vice Admiral in the same.

May it please your Excellency.

WE his Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Trustees of the College of New-Jersey, with the greatest Pleasure, take this first Opportunity of publickly congratulating your Excellency upon your Appointment to, and Acceptance of this Government; and we are particularly happy in believing, from the Specimen your Excellency has already given us of your good Dispositions, that the Loss we sustained in the speedy removal of your immediate Predecessor, is made up in you, and that as the College of this Province has been favoured with the Patronage of each of our Governors since its Institution, your Excellency will be pleased to take it under your Protection. We can assure you, Sir, that the general Principle of preparing Youth for publick Service in Church and State, and making them useful Members

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of Society, without concerning ourselves about their particular religious Denominations, is our grand Idea. And we hope when your Excellency shall be pleased to look into the Constitution of this Seminary of Learning; and by honouring us with your personal Attendance at our Meetings, see the Manner of our Procedure; you will conceive it an Object worthy the notice of the Supreme Magistrate.

We acknowledge the Honour your Excellency has done us in your present Attendance, and most heartily wish you a long Continuance and prosperous Administration in this Province.

Signed in the Name of the Trustees,

RICHARD STOCKTON, Clerk.

To which his Excellency was pleased to return the following Answer.

Gentlemen,

I Heartily thank you for your Address. It will be at all Times a particular Satisfaction to me to give you every Assistance in my Power, in promoting the Prosperity of this useful Seminary of Learning.

Prince-Town, Sept. 29, 1762.

Josiah Hardy.

The BORDEN TOWN STAGE

THE Magistrates of Philadelphia having forbid the Borden Town Boats sailing on Sunday, as usual, lays me under a Necessity of altering my Stage Days; so the publick is hereby informed, that my Boat now sails from the usual Place in New-York, every Tuesday and Friday.

MARY LOTT.

—*The New York Mercury, October* 18, 1762.

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NEW YORK, October 18.

The Ship Two-Brothers, Smith, Master, from this Port, for the Havannah, having sprung a Leak, a few Days after she left Sandy-Hook, is put into Charles-Town, South-Carolina, and 'tis said will be obliged to discharge her whole Cargo.

Custom-House, Philadelphia, Entered In. Schooner John, Thomas Herrick, from Piscataway.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1037, *October* 21, 1762.

MOORE FURMAN, *of Trenton,*

INTENDING soon to remove to Philadelphia, earnestly desires all Persons that are any ways indebted to him, or to the late Partnership of Read and Furman at Trenton; or at the Store lately kept for them by Joseph Yard junior, at Princetown; or to Josiah Furman junior, late Shopkeeper at Pennington, in Hopewell; or to the Estate of the Reverend Mr. David Cowell deceased, immediately to pay the same.

The Shop lately kept by Moore Furman in Trenton, at his House at the Corner, below the Market, is now kept by FURMAN and HUNT, who propose to keep for Sale, by Retail, all Sorts of Goods that are suitable for the Country. They propose also generally to keep for Sale, Rum by the Hogshead, and Wine by the Quarter Cask, &c. They now have two likely Negroe Wenches, who they will sell cheap.

Captain JERVIS, of His Majesty's Ship Gosport, arrived at Sandy-Hook from Newfoundland, proceeds immediately to Virginia, in order to convoy the Shipping bound to Europe.

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To be SOLD by the Executors of George Eyre, deceased, a valuable Tract of Land, lying in the Township of Roxbury, in Morris County, West New-Jersey, at the Head of Muskennecunk River, adjoining a certain Pond, called the Little Pond, the Land joins on both Sides the said Pond, and is bounded by Land now or late of John Baynton, and John Reading, Esquires, and others, containing about 943 Acres, the greatest Part of which is extraordinary well timbered, and about 90 Acres of the Tract is cleared, and under good Fence, with a good Log House on it; there is a constant Stream or Brook of Water, running thro' the said Tract, very suitable to erect a Gristmill or Forge on, and a great Part will make good Meadow. For further Particulars enquire of SAMUEL EYRE, in Burlington, or of EMANUEL EYRE, and JOHN EYRE, Shipwrights, at Kensington, near Philadelphia, Executors.

Stolen on the 14 Instant, from Darias Vanniman, of Chester Township, Burlington County, a darkish coloured Broadcloth Coat, a Pair of black Buckskin Breeches, a light coloured fly Coat, Jacket and Breeches, and a Snuff coloured Thickset Coat. The above Things were stolen by a Man, who calls himself William Mudy, and sometimes William Rainey; he also broke open a Chest, and took out a Dollar, and some Paper Money. The same Day he overtook a Man on the Road, and beat him so much with a Stick, that his Life is despaired of. He is a short thick Fellow, of a dark Complexion, one of his Shoulders is higher than the other, his Hair cut close on the Top of his Head, and trimmed short behind: Had on a Pair of Calf-skin Shoes, milled Yarn Stockings, black Broadcloth Breeches, new Ozenbrigs Shirt, red Flannel Jacket, tied with Strings, and a half worn Hat. Whoever secures said Thief, so as he be brought to Justice,

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shall have Four Pounds Reward, paid by DARIAS VANNIMAN, or JOHN STOUT.

Whereas one Joseph Mackmein was advertised for absconding, and clandestinely taking sundry Weavers Implements, and other Things, from Jonathan Fox, and James Ginnes, of Burlington County, in December last, and has not been heard of by them since the 15th of December, when he was seen in Philadelphia, with his Wife, who went off with him. They are supposed to be gone towards Easton; he is a Weaver by Trade, near 50 Years of Age, short and thick set, with black Eyes, short sandy and grey Hair, broken Belly, and commonly wears a Leather Apron, is marked with the Small-pox, speaks hoarse, and one of his Legs smaller than the other. His Wife's Name is Mary, is short and thick set, flat Face, grey Eyes, has sandy Hair, and is about 30 Years of Age. Whoever will inform Joseph Biddle, of Springfield, in Burlington County, where said Macmein may be had, shall have Three Pounds Reward, paid by

JOSEPH BIDDLE

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1765, *October* 21, 1762.

NEW-YORK, *October* 25.

Capt. Gelston in a Snow from this Port, was met with by Capt. Stevenson, last Monday, going over Charlestown Bar, from which Place Capt. Stevenson arrived at Amboy last Friday, in 4 Days.

TO BE SOLD *by*
JOHN IRLAND,
At Reese Meredith's:

A Negro Woman, a Negro Girl about 18 Years old, and a Negro Child, about six Years old, to be seen at

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Daniel Coopers at the Ferry, they were sold by Execution in Barbados, not sent off for any Fault.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1038, *October* 28, 1762.

LIST of LETTERS remaining in the POST-OFFICE, in PHILADELPHIA.

Thomas Agar, Cumberland County. Forster Burrough, Hopewell.

Robert Cooper, in Cumberland County.

Widow Donnell, and James Dick, in Cumberland County.

Abraham Gerrison, Cumberland.

Robert Hunter and Tobias Hendricks, in Cumberland County;

Abigail Hanna, New-Jersey. David Logan (2) Morris County.

David Mitchell, Hopewell; Barbara M'Clatten, New-Jersey;

James M'Killip, Hunterdon; Ross Mellon, Burlington;

George M'Kemmy, Cumberland County.

Silas Newscomb, Cumberland County.

Robert Patterson, Salem County. Jacob Spicer, Cape May;

Henry Silcock, N. Jersey; Abigail Smith, Gloucester.

Alexander Trinnel, Cumberland County.

BURLINGTON STAGE.

Notice is hereby given to the Public, That JOHN FERGUSON, and PATRICK COWAN, in the Burlington Stage Boats, set off as usual for Burlington, on Wednesdays and Saturdays from Philadelphia; and that the Waggons proceed from Burlington to Amboy, on the usual Days; where a Boat is always ready to carry Goods and Passengers that go by them, to New York.

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CONRAD FRECH living in Old Springfield Township, Burlington County, New Jersey, wants to know where his Wife's Sister Christina Specht, resides. She was born at Gumbertshosen, in the Elector Palatine's Dominions, and came with her Brother and Sister to this Country 14 Years ago, and was a bound Servant for 9 Years in New-Jersey. Whoever knows anything about her, is desired to give Intelligence to the abovesaid Conrad Frech; or if this should come to her Knowledge, she is invited to come to her said Brother-in-Law and Sister, or to let them know where she lives.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1766, *October* 28, 1762.

To be sold by publick Vendue, at the London Coffee-house, on the 16th of November, a good two Story Brick House, and Lot, in Kensington, with two Rooms on a Floor, and a Fire-place in each; also a good Wooden Kitchen, with an Oven, and Cellar under the whole; and several choice Fruit Trees; the Lot extending from Low-Water Mark to Queen-street, being 67 Feet wide, and 416 Feet deep, clear of Groundrent. The Purchaser paying One Hundred Pounds down, and giving Security, or a Mortgage on the Place, paying Interest, may have Time for the Remainder. Any Person inclining to purchase before the Day of Sale, may apply to John M'Micken, in the Jerseys, or to Mr. John Rouse, in Market-street, Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, Oct. 27, 1762.

Now in the Goal of this City, a certain Zachariah Doughty, who says he is a Servant to one Peter Terat, living in Amwell Township, in New Jersey, to whom Notice has been sent of his being confined here: These are once

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more to desire him to come and take him out, or he will be sold for his Fees in two Weeks from this Date, by

JOHN MITCHELL, Goaler.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1767, *November* 4, 1762.

Custom-House, Philadelphia, Entered In. Brig Elizabeth, Joshua Titcomb, from Piscataway. Sloop Merrimack, F. Holmes, from Piscataway.

Outwards. Sloop Free Mason, G. Turnet, for Piscataway.

Cleared. Schooner John T. Herrick, to Piscataway.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1039, *November* 4, 1762.

New-York, November 8. On Monday last, between the Hours of 11 and 12, in the Forenoon, departed this Life, in an advanced Age, after a long and tedious Indisposition, the Honourable Colonel JAMES HUDE, of New-Brunswick, Esq; a Gentleman, who, for his great Probity, Justice, Affability, Moral and Political Virtues, was universally esteemed and beloved by those that knew him. He passed thro' almost all the Honorary Offices and Employments in the Government where he lived, as well those in the Gift of the Crown, as those in the Voice of the People. At the Time of his Death, he was one of his Majesty's Council, Mayor of the Corporation of New Brunswick, &c. &c. In all his Offices he was conspicuous for his inflexible Integrity and Honesty. His Death is not only an irrepairable Loss to the Poor, who had at all Times free access to his Person, and his Advice and Assistance without Fee or Reward, but to the Publick is Subject of great Regret. He was a most tender and loving Husband, an indulgent Father, and kind Master. He has left a disconsolate and weeping Widow and Children. *Blessed are the Dead which die in the Lord, from hence-*

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forth, yea, saith the Spirit, that they may rest from their Labours, and their Works do follow them.

Baskinridge, October 26, 1762.

WHEREAS, Mary, the Wife of Hugh Cooper, of Baskinridge, in the county of Somerset, hath for some time past behaved herself very unbecomingly, and hath privately made away with and confiscated a considerable part of his personal Estate: I the said Hugh Cooper have therefore been obliged to discharge her from my bed; and as she continues in her state of separation, without any apparent desire of cohabiting again with me, and without the least profession of amendment, I do hereby forbid any person whatsoever to trust her the said Mary Cooper, on my account, for I will not pay any debts of her contracting, after the date hereof.—*The New York Mercury, November* 8, 1762.

This DAY is PUBLISHED, on a Sheet of Imperial Paper, and to be Sold by
Matthew Clarkson *and* Mary Biddle.
(Price seven shillings and six pence.)
A PLAN of the improved Part of the City of
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subsequant PLAN, drawn by *Benjamin Eastburn,* Surveyor-General.

New-York, November 2. Last Sunday Week the Cygnet Frigate Capt. Aimes, sailed, from Sandy Hook for England, with a Number of Transports, having on board only the Officers, Serjeants, Corporals and Drummers of the 2d Battalion of Royal Highlanders, the private Men being turned over to compleat the first Battalion of that Regiment.

Custom-House, Philadelphia, Entered In. Sloop Abigail, P. Groves from Salem.

Outwards. Schooner Polly, D. Hathorne, for Salem. Sloop Joanna, Wm. Bartlett, for Salem.

RUN away from Sacheverall Wood, living in Philadelphia, on the 25th of October last: One James Anderson, an apprentice lad, between 18 and 19 years of age, about 5 feet 8 inches high, a Taylor by trade and has better than two years to serve, he has a smooth face and fair complexion, and wears his own hair, pretty long, and is pretty likely, and is shame faced. Had on when he went away, a castor hat, about half worn, and an Olive coloured fustian coat, a blue cloth jacket, and black cloth breeches, with yellow mettle-buttons to them, which is very remarkable, and blue worsted stockings, and old shoes, he has a white shirt and a check one with him: He has a Mother and a Brother living in East town in the Jersey's, its likely he may be gone that way. Whoever takes up the said apprentice and brings him to the subscriber shall have THREE POUNDS reward, if taken up above 20 miles from Philadelphia, if less shall receive THIRTY SHILLINGS paid by the subscriber.

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N. B. All masters of vessels are forbid taking him away, as they may depend on suffering according to Law. If any one should harbour the said lad, they may depend on being prosecuted by me SACHEVERALL WOOD.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1040, *November* 11, 1762.

Notice is hereby given, that there will be exposed to Sale, by public Vendue, on the Premises, a large and commodious Plantation on Crosswicks Creek, being the Farm of the late John Lovell, deceased, containing 300 Acres of land, with a large House raised, and good Part inclosed, a large Arch Cellar, a large new Barn, good bearing Orchard, sufficient Meadow and Meadow Ground; said Place is well wooded and watered, with near 200 Acres of clear Land, also a very convenient Place for a Gristmill: The Vendue to be held the first Day of December, when the Conditions of Sale shall be made known. The Vendue to begin at Ten o'Clock on said Day.

Also another Plantation of said John Lowell's lying in Pennsylvania, in the Northern Liberties of Philadelphia . . . . Sufficient Titles to be made by the Legatees to the Estate of the said John Lovell.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1768, *November* 11, 1762.

Fifteen Pounds, Reward

RUN-away from the subscriber, on Sunday evening the 31st of October, 3 apprentice lads, viz. James Anderson, aged 19 years, a tanner by trade, about 5 feet 7 inches high: Had on when he went away, 1 white shirt, and two check ditto. Uzal Woodruff, aged 18 years, about 5 feet 6 inches high: Had on when he went away, a blue broad cloth coat, jacket, and breeches. Also, Epenetus Beach, about 5 feet 5 inches high: Had on when he went away, a blue broad cloth coat, a green jacket, a pair of

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thick-sett breeches; both cord-wainers, or shoe-makers. Whoever will secure the said apprentices, so that their master may have them again, shall have the above reward, or FIVE POUNDS, New-York currency, reward, for each, paid by

Moses Ogden.

N. B. All persons are forbid harbouring or carrying of said apprentices at their peril.

Elizabeth-Town, Nov. 17, 1762.

Whereas the subscriber (late of the county of Somerset and province of New-Jersey) hath long endeavoured a final settlement of his affairs in said province, which he has not yet been able effectually to compleat. he therefore, gives this publick notice to all persons whatever indebted to him, to pay the same in two months from the date hereof; either to himself at New-York, or to Cornelius Low, junior, attorney at law at New-Brunswick, who is fully impowered to negotiate and transact this business; their non compliance will necessarily compel prosecutions on every account, or other matter whereon the same can be properly founded.

JOSEPH SACKETT, Junior

—*The New York Mercury, November* 15, 1762.

LONDON.

Whitehall, Sept. 11. His Majesty has been pleased to constitute and appoint William Franklin Esq; to be Captain General and Governor in Chief of his Majesty's Province of New-Jersey, in the room of Josiah Hardy Esq.

NEW-LONDON, *October* 29.

We hear that a Schooner was cast ashore at Barney's Gut,[1] near Egg-Harbour, the 18th Instant, said to be the

[1] Barnegat.

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Adventure, Ashcraft, from St. Martins, of and for this Port, laden with Salt, but the Men were saved.

Custom-House, Philadelphia, Cleared. Sloop Abigail, P. Groves, to Salem.

BOSTON, *November* 11.

On Saturday the 5th of September was married at St. George's Church, Hanover Square, William Franklin, Esq; the new-appointed Governor of New-Jersey, to Miss Downes, of St. James's Street.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1042, *November* 18, 1762.

WHEREAS I William Carter, of Trenton, Hunterdon county, some time since advertised my Wife Phebe Carter in this Paper; this is to inform the Publick that as we are upon good Terms again, and have agreed to live together, our dealings will be the same as heretofore.

WILLIAM CARTER.

—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1042, *November* 25, 1762.

***The PUBLICK is desired to beware of Counterfeit New-Jersey Thirty Shilling Bills. . . . They may be discovered at first Sight, the whole Bill being extremely ill cut, the Letters in no Sort of Proportion, and stand very irregular; whereas the true Bills are neatly done in the common Printing Manner.

Run-away from James Whitall, of Red-Bank, Gloucester County, An Irish Servant Girl, named Mary Heany, short and thick: Had on when she went away, A lightish coloured Jacket, an old black Quilt, brownish striped Petticoat, blue Yarn Stockings, and Neats Leather Shoes, with Buckles in them. Whoever takes up and secures said

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Servant, so as her Master may have her again, shall have Thirty Shillings Reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by

James Whitall

N. B. Any Person that conceals said Servant, shall be prosecuted as the Law directs.

Philadelphia, Nov. 25, 1762.

ABSCONDED from his SPECIAL BAIL, about Three Months ago, A certain THOMAS MYERS, who lately lived at Pool's Bridge, Philadelphia. Whoever takes up and secures said MYERS in Gloucester Goal, or will give Information where he is, so as his BAIL may get him again, shall have THREE POUNDS Reward, paid by ROBERT WHEATEN, living in Cohansey, Cumberland County, West-New-Jersey.

Gloucester County, New-Jersey, October 16, 1762.

Whereas a Petition has been presented to the Honourable the House of Representatives for the Province aforesaid, praying Leave to obtain an Act for damming the Tide out of the Southwardly Branch of Pensauquin Creek, to be erected from the upper Side of a certain Landing on the same Branch, known by the Name of Poplar Landing.

These are therefore to give Notice to any Person or Persons having any Objection against damming the said Branch at the Place aforesaid, that they offer the same to the General Assembly of the said Province at their next Sessions, as the Petitioners at that Time purpose to endeavour for obtaining an Act for executing the aforesaid.

Signed in Behalf of the Petitioners

ISAAC BUROUGH.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1770, *November* 25, 1762.

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New-York, November 29. Friday Night last Colonel Hunt, and several other Officers belonging to the New-Jersey Provincials arrived here from Niagra, by Way of Oswego, and left both the Garrisons well and hearty.

EPHRAIM AVERY,

Takes this method to inform the public, that he has open'd

A SCHOOL,

AT Second-river, in East-New-Jersey, opposite to Col. John Schuyler's; where he teaches writing and reading English, the Latin and Greek languages, arithmetick, both vulgar and decimal; likewise, Algebra, trigonometry, surveying, guaging, plain, traverse, and mercator's sailing, by several different methods, according to Atkinson's and Wilson's epitomes. Any gentleman of the city of New-York, or in the country, that will favour him with their children may depend upon their being instructed in any of the above mentioned branches, with the utmost care and expedition.

N. B. It would not be improper to acquaint you, that the place is agreeably situated on a navigable river, the inhabitants very kind and civil; boats, almost daily pass and and repass from hence to New York: Gentlemen need not give themselves any trouble to provide lodgings, or wood for the school, both of which said master engages to procure on very reasonable terms.

To be Sold.

A Commodious store house, situated in Prince-town, New-Jersey, having an entry, and two large rooms with fire places, on the first floor; three rooms (two with fire places) on the second floor, and a large garret, which might be made into lodging rooms. There is a good cellar under the whole; a kitchen and store house front, and

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another kitchen back, a valuable lot of land, part of which is now a garden, and the other part planted with the choicest apple and other fruit trees; also a stable and other out-houses, belonging to the premisses. It's situation being near the college, and on the post road between New-York and Philadelphia, makes it very suitable for any public business. Any gentleman inclining to purchase, may know the terms by applying to Mr. John Berien, at Rocky-hill, about four miles from the premisses, or to Joseph Morrow, near the New-Dutch-Church, in New-York, by whom an indisputable title can be given.—*The New York Mercury, November* 29, 1762.

Custom-House, Philadelphia, Entered In. Sloop Ranger, George Oakes, from Salem.

Cleared. Brig King George, Frederick Backer, to Salem.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1043, *December* 2, 1762.

To be SOLD

A Plantation, situate and lying in the Township of Amwell, in the County of Hunterdon, and Province of West-New-Jersey, containing 300 Acres of Land, and a considerable Quantity of Meadow cleared; four bearing Orchards upon said Place, of good Fruit, and two large double Houses, the one Stone, the other Frame, both having good Kitchens and Cellars, two large Frame Barns, with Stables and Out-houses convenient and two Springs of Water, which has proved constant in the dryest Time; said Plantation is very well timbered, and the great Road to Trenton runs near it; said Land answers well for two Settlements, and will be sold whole or separate, as best suits the Purchaser. The said Place is within one Mile and a Half of Mr. John Rings's, three Miles from an English Meeting-house, and one Mile and a Half from the

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Dutch Meeting. Any Person inclining to purchase the same, may apply to the Subscriber, living on the Premises, and be further informed.

Jacob Birdsall

N. B. The Title is indisputable.

NEW-YORK, November 29.

Yesterday Morning a Seaman belonging to the Privateer Brig Mars, Capt. Wright, for this Port, came up in one of our Pilot Boats from Sandy Hook, where he left a French Prize Snow, belonging to the said Privateer, Capt. Sinnott of this Port, and a St. Kitts Man, which they took about a Month ago, as well as 7 others at the same Time, being Part of a Fleet of 25 Sail, under Convoy of a 40 Gun Ship, bound from Cape Francois for Old-France, all loaded with Sugar and Indigo; that the Day after the above mentioned 8 Prizes were taken, the Privateers still keeping Sight of the Remainder of the Fleet, they fell in with Commodore Keppel who took them all, with the 40 Gun Ship, and carried them to Jamaica. Four of the Prizes are hourly expected in here.

NOTICE is hereby given to all Persons, who are indebted to the Estate of Ebenezer Brown, of the Township of Newtown, and County of Gloucester, for Goods bought at the late Vendue, that they are hereby requested to make immediate Payment to the Subscribers, to prevent further Trouble. And those who have any Demands against said Estate, are also hereby requested to bring in their Accounts, on or before the 16th of this Month, in order to receive their proportionable Shares, otherwise they will be excluded from any Dividend, by JOHN GILL, ABRAHAM CHATTIN, and WILLIAM MATLACK, Trustees for the Creditors.

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TO BE SOLD

A Tract of Land, situate in the Township of Greenwich, and County of Gloucester, containing about 200 and some odd Acres of Wood-land, with some Meadow Ground thereto; it joins Rackoon Creek, about a Mile above the Head of the Tide, and two Miles from a navigable Landing, where the Timber may be conveyed to a Market; there is a fine Convenience to erect a Saw mill, with little Expence. Any Person inclinable to see the Land, may apply to George Vanleer, living near the Premises: It is reckoned about 18 Miles from Philadelphia. For further Particulars, apply to Benjamin Vanleer, living in Marple Township, Chester County.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1771, *December* 2, 1762.

To be Sold, at Public Vendue,
On Monday the 13th instant,

A Lot of land, in Newark, New-Jersey, lately belonging to James Still, lying for 8 acres, be the same more or less; whereon is a good stone dwelling-house, situate very pleasantly on Passaick River, nearly opposite the dwelling-house of the late Col. Peter Schuyler, deceased;[1] which is commodious either for a private gentleman, for a merchant, or for ship-building. Likewise several feather beds and their furniture, with different sorts of household goods. The vendue will begin at said dwelling-house, at one o'clock in the afternoon on the same day.

THESE are to give Notice, to all Persons, That I John Ellison, of Elizabeth-Town, New-Jersey, have a large Right in Lands at Newark, to the Value of £. 10.000, which I can show a good Deed for, recorded in the Secretary's Office at Amboy; and I do hereby promise

[1] The premises were situate in the present town of Belleville, then a part of Newark township.

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any Person one half of the said Lands, that will commence a Suit against the present Possessors, and recover the same.—*The New York Mercury, December* 6, 1762.

EIGHTY DOLLARS *Reward*

Essex County New-Jersey. ss. Two Prisoners escaped from Jonathan Hampton, High Sheriff of said Essex County, as they were going to Baskin-Ridge, where they lived, to get Bail for the Actions they were then taken upon, not known to the Sheriff to be for Felony and Forgery, as they since appear to be, which the Prisoners then knew, viz. WILLIAM HAMILTON, for Sheep-stealing, at the Camp on Staten-Island, born in Ireland, about 50 Years old, a lusty, dirty, slouching Butcher, much Sun-burnt, wears a cut Wig, seldom combed; has an impudent Boy his Son, about 14 Years old, with him; he had several other Actions against him, for which Sylvester Cole became special Bail, and unless he is soon taken, must pay the Debts and Costs. His Wife and Children are since gone to him.

JOHN BARCLAY, for forgery, born in Ireland, about 50 Years of Age, a short chunkey Fellow, of sandy Complexion, full of Palaver when drunk (which is as often as he can) talks thick and quick, is a Clothier by Trade. They both went to the Southward last Spring, were at Pequea last July, and would have been taken there if one Andrew M'Gown had not helped them to escape, and secreted them, well knowing they had left me, as above; M'Gown lately went from Baskin-Ridge also.

Barclay's Wife, and some of her Children went in the Stage to Philadelphia and Lancaster about two Months ago; she is exceeding much Pock-marked, very brown, named Catherine, about 40 Years of Age, but looks much older, a very neat little Woman. It is thought they are somewhere between Pequea and Wills's Creek, but most

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likely about Sasquehannah; but if they are further Southward, even to Carolina, it is hoped they will be apprehended, as such Villains ought not to be countenanced. Whoever apprehends and secures them, so that I may have them again, or brings them to me, or my Goal keeper, shall have for Hamilton Fifty Dollars, and for Barclay Thirty Dollars, and all reasonable Charges, paid by

Jonathan Hampton, Sheriff

N. B. A Letter sent by Post, will immediately come to me.

To be Lett, for a Term of Years,

And may be entered on immediately, or next March, as may best suit the Tenant,

A Plantation and Saw-mill, in Greenwich Township, Gloucester County, New-Jersey, on the great Road that leads from Gloucester to Salem; there is on the Premises a new two Story Stone House, with a Cellar under the whole; a good Log-house near the Mill, and good Springs near each House; likewise 50 Acres of Upland newly cleared, within good Fence, a new Barn, and other Conveniences on said Plantation; also about 100 Acres of Upland and Meadow Ground, within a good new Fence, Part of the Meadow cleared, and Allowance will be made for clearing the Remainder; the Land well furnished with White and Black Oak Timber for sawing, and not above a Mile and an Half to haul to the Saw-mill, and but two Miles from the Mill to a good Landing. Any Person inclining to rent said Plantation and Mill, may know the Terms, by applying to PRISCILLA HARRISON, on the Premises, or to JOHN GRIFFITH, near Gloucester.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1772, *December* 9, 1762.

To be sold, on reasonable terms;

A Farm lying in the township of Barnard's or Baskin-

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ridge, in Somerset County; about a mile from Jacob Vanderveer's mill, near the Low Dutch meeting house; near a good market for all sorts of produce, also within a mile and a half of the English church; containing about 322 acres, having a good dwelling house thereon, and a large Dutch barn covered with cedar shingles, with good out houses for negroes, or other uses, and good barracks, about 220 acres cleared and in fence; a fine piece of meadow, and much more may be made, there is on said farm an exceeding fine orchard of about 300 apple trees, noted for yielding the best of cyder, being mostly grafted, yielding nearly 100 barrels of cyder; several large fine pear trees and about 50 peach trees, and a number of cherry trees, black walnut trees, and a thriving young nursery, all in good order; most of said farm in good fence, well watered having fine constant springs in every field, and a spring of water by the dwelling-house, that waters a large piece of meadow, its well timbered to support the clear land, fine white oak and many large poplar trees fit for building or sawing, being near to a saw mill; the title is indisputable, both from Elizabeth-Town and proprietors: For further particulars, enquire of Capt. William Graham, living on said premises.—*The New York Mercury, December* 13, 1762.

TO BE SOLD By

Walter Rutherfurd, Esq; in New York, and Richard Stevens in Philadelphia. . . . .

Five Tracts of Land in Sussex county, New-Jersey, viz. One Tract of 678 acres, formerly in possession of Uriah Dildine, now Henry Countryman. Its chiefly good land for grain, has about 100 acres clear'd, part of which is Meadow, lays on both sides of the River Paulinskiln, and about 11 miles from Andover Furnace. One other

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Tract of 513 acres, adjoining the above, which was lately in possession of John Heaton junr. its well timber'd, and the chief part good Wheat Land. One other Tract of about 1100 acres, being part of a Tract of 1500 acres, bought of the London Company agents, which lays near Pahaqua Long Mountain, and about 3 miles from Gasper Shaver's, its well timber'd, and part of it good Up-Land, and a fine Swamp. One other Tract, called Atwood's Mount, of about 1000 acres of fine Wheat Land, interspers'd with good Swamps, that may be easily clear'd, has one settlement on it, in possession of Wade Lufbury; it lays about 7 miles from Andover Furnace, and 3 miles from Sussex new Court house. One other Tract of about 460 acres, the chief part of it very fine Swamp, that may be easily cleared, on the new great Road, about 6 miles from Andover Furnace, that leads to the Union. The above five Tracts will be divided and sold in Farms of 150 acres, or upwards as shall suit the purchaser. Whoever inclines to purchase any of the above Tracts in Jersey, must apply to Ephraim Darby; living near Amos Pettit's, in Sussex county, who will shew them the Lands; for further particulars concerning the above Tracts and Farms in Pennsylvania, they must apply to Walter Rutherfurd Esq; of New York, or Richard Stevens of Philadelphia, who will be at Mecklenburg, near the Premises in Pennsylvania, the first four Days in March and April next and at Amos Pettit's in Sussex New-Jersey, the 10th and 12th of April.

To be Sold or Leas'd by Richard Stevens, three Farms at New-Town on Paulinskiln in Sussex County New-Jersey viz. one Farm of about 220 Acres in possession of Fuller; one Farm of 240 Acres in possession of Stophel Addams, one Farm of 200 Acres in possession of Henry Snyder. Whoever Inclines to purchase or lease, must ap-

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ply to Ephraim Darby near Pettits in Sussex County, or Richard Stevens at Philadelphia.

TO BE SOLD
By the SUBSCRIBER,

A Tract of Land, situated in Sussex County, in the province of West New Jersey, about four miles from Philipsburg, containing 1100 Acres. This tract is commonly known by the name of Wheeler's land & is divided into 5 Lots, an accurate plan of which is now preparing. Each Lot is well timbered and watered, and has a large quantity of Meadow to accommodate it. The Tract lays in the Heart of a flourishing Country, and is reputed the best Land in its Neighbourhood: The purchasers may on paying one third of the consideration Money, be indulged three or four years for the remainder of it. For further Terms apply to

JOHN BAYNTON.

N. B. An indisputable Title will be given.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1045, *December* 16, 1762.

This Day is published, and sold by ANDREW STEUART, at the Bible-in-Heart, in Second-street, Philadelphia A NARRATIVE of the unhappy Life and miserable End of SAMUEL STODDARD, late of Egg Harbour, in the County of Burlington, and Province of West-New-Jersey; who was tried at a Supreme Court, held at Burlington aforesaid, on Saturday, the Sixth of November, 1762, for the barbarous, cruel and inhuman Murder of JACOB GALE, late of Egg-Harbour aforesaid; of which Crime he was found guilty, and, according to Sentence, was executed at the City of Burlington, on Tuesday, the 23d of the same Month.

This Narrative, which is written with his own Hand, lays before you a Series of unheard-of Villanies, and most

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atrocious Crimes: . . . It appears, by his own Confession, that he was a crafty, subtle Fellow, and carried on his sinful Practices of Art and Dissimulation, especially with the Women.

Together with a most surprising DREAM or VISION, which he had about 18 Months before his Death. And his last Speech and dying Words, which he spoke to the People, and delivered to the Sheriff, in his last Moments. To the whole is added, an Account of his TRIAL, before the Hon. Robert H. Morris, Esq; Chief Justice of the said Province.

The Tenants on the Lands (of John Gamble, late of the City of Dublin, deceased) situated in Salem County, and now almost out of Lease, are desired to take Notice, that REDMOND CONYNGHAM, of Philadelphia, Merchant, and JOHN MOORE of Chester County, Store-keeper, are impowered by Joseph and Ann Ewing, Guardians to William Gamble, a Minor, Son and Heir at Law to John Gamble aforesaid, to receive all Arrears of Rent that may be due on said Lands, and new Leases to grant, during the Minority of said William Gamble. The Tenants are desired to produce Receipts for the last Payments they have made, and to come and settle immediately with either of the Attorneys, and know the Terms on which new Leases will be granted.

IN ASSEMBLY

Province of N. Jersey. Burlington. ss. The Petition from the Owners of the Meadows on the Head of Woodberry Creek, praying a Law to oblige the Owners to clear out said Creek, was read the second Time.

ORDERED, "That the Petitioners have Leave to bring in a Bill, pursuant to the Prayer of their Petition, at the next Sessions at Burlington for doing public Business;

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provided Notice of their Application, and this Order, shall be given in the Pennsylvania Gazette, at least six Weeks before said Sessions, and no reasonable Objections shall then appear against the same."

Therefore all Persons concerned in the same, are hereby desired to take Notice.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1773, *December* 16, 1762.

ON the 25th of November last broke out of Morris County goal, in New-Jersey, a prisoner named John Smith, an Irishman, tall, slender, and thin visaged, much pock-mark'd, about 35 years of age, with brown hair: Had on, a brown jacket, a check shirt, and linnen trowsers. Whoever shall take up the said Smith, and bring him to me, or my goaler, in Morris Town, shall have five pounds reward, and all reasonable charges, paid by

SAMUEL TUTHILL, Sheriff.

—*The New York Mercury, December* 20, 1762.

Custom-House, Philadelphia, Cleared. Sloop Joseph, Robert Bell, to Salem. Sloop William and George, G. M'Lellan, to Piscataway.

TO BE SOLD BY

Robert Lettis Hooper *Junr;*

At his Store in Water-street, three Doors above Chestnut-street,

THREE-penny, Ten-penny, Twelve-penny and Twenty-penny Nails by the Barrel, Madeira Wine by the Pipe or Quarter Cask. Lisbon Wine by the Quarter Cask, Loaf Sugar, and a Cargo of good Lisbon Salt, which he will retail at 2|10 per Bushel.

All Persons Indebted to the late Partnership of Robert and Jacob Hooper, by Bond or otherwise, are desired to

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meet the Subscriber at the House of Robert Rutherford in Trenton on Thursday the 13th day of January next, at which time he is determined to close the affairs of said Partnership or proceed as the Law will impower him.

ROBERT L. HOOPER, *Junr.*

—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1046, *December* 23, 1762.

To be SOLD,

A Tract of Land, lying in Hopewell Township, and County of Hunterdon, six Miles above Trenton, containing 334 Acres strict Measure: It is beautifully situated on the Delaware to the West, and adjoins the Lands of Gerrard Johnson to the North, John Hart and Joseph Boroughs to the East, and William Lister to the South. There is a small House on the Place, now tenanted by Daniel Severns, and about 80 Acres cleared, the rest all Wood. It is supposed to be as good Wheat Land as any in New Jersey. The Title short and indisputable For Terms apply to WILLIAM LISTER, Merchant, at Trenton, or to the Owner, RICHARD SMITH, Attorney at Law, in Burlington.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1774, *December* 23, 1762.

To be Sold,

A very convenient dwelling house, two story high, and four rooms on each floor, with out-houses suitable, and a small parcel of land, &c. near the meeting house, at Connecticut farms, in Elizabeth Town; situate on the great road from the back countries of Morris, Sussex and Somerset, to New-York; very suitable for business of any kind: Any person inclining to purchase, may apply to John Chetwood, or John D. Hart, at Elizabeth-Town.

ALSO, Thirty acres of land, well wooded.

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TO BE SOLD

A good plantation, in lower Freehold, Monmouth County; containing 180 acres of land, 100 of which is cleared, all within good fence, mostly ditch'd and prim hedg'd; it is good land both for wheat and grass, with some good meadows; what lies without the fence is good land, and well timbered; there is a good new house, and a stone cellar under the said house, petition'd off in three apartments, the milk room ceiled and plaistered, all very convenient; and a good new kitchen adjoining the said house, with back room to it, very convenient, &c. Also a good new barn, a garden newly pailed in, and other conveniencies, &c. Also two young bearing orchards, nigh to the house; containing about 230 apple trees, mostly grafted, of the best fruit; it is an exceeding pleasant and healthy place, and good water very convenient; it bounds on the highway between Amboy and Shrewsbury, it lies within four miles of the landing, and within six miles of the bay; where is plenty of fowl, fish, clams, oysters, &c. and good roads thereto; the place is very suitable for a gentleman, shopkeeper, doctor, or farmer, &c.

Also to be sold, 10 acres of boggy meadow, within 2 miles of said plantation; also to be sold, another tract of land, about half a mile from Topanemas church in Freehold, no improvement on it, containing 120 acres, or a little more; it is mostly good land, there is about 10 acres of it bogg, and 30 acres of it good rich swamp, which will make good meadow, with a little improvement, and has a good out lett, which is a great conveniency; it will be very suitable for a tradesman. Any person inclining to purchase any of the above said lands, may apply to AUGUSTIN REID, who lives on the premises, who will agree on reasonable terms, and will give an indisputable title.—*The New York Mercury, December 27, 1762.*

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Run away on the 22d. of December inst. from Samuel Parr, of Waterford Township, Gloucester County, West New Jersey, three Miles from the new Bridge on Cooper's Creek, a Negroe Man, named Moses, about five Feet three or four Inches high: Had on when he went away, a new Cloth upper Jacket, an old red under Jacket, and old Leather Breeches, Took with him a Wherry, with Oars and Sail, and a Gun. He is Country born, about 23 Years of Age, formerly belonged to Standish Ford, and afterwards to George Keen, who sold him out of the Workhouse for running away. Whoever takes up said Negroe, and brings him to his Master, shall have Three Pounds Reward, paid by

SAMUEL PARR

All Masters of Vessels are forbid to carry him off.

To be sold at publick Vendue, on the 25th Day of the First Month, called January, 1763, the Plantation of Peter Fearon, late deceased, containing about 44 Acres, and is remarkably well watered, about 30 Acres of which is mowing Meadow, situate about three Miles from Burlington, and four from Mountholly, on which is a convenient Dwelling-house, and other Buildings, a Milk-house, with a Spring therein, which hath not been known to fail, and a good Orchard of grafted Fruit. Any Person inclining to look at the Premises, may apply to Thomas Wetherill, in Burlington, or John Woolman, in Mountholly. The Sale is proposed to begin at One o'Clock on the Premises.

THOMAS WETHERILL, JOHN WOOLMAN, Executors.

Kingwood, December 24, 1762.

ADAM AREY, New Jersey Post-rider, having served in that Business about eight Months, and finding it attended with great Expence, herby desires such of his Subscribers

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as have not hitherto assisted him, to pay the Arrears of their Subscriptions, which will better enable him to perform his Business, and oblige their humble Servant,

ADAM AREY

Strayed or stolen from Trenton, the 20th of this instant December, a bay mare, about 14 Hands and an Half high, with Saddle and Bridle, is branded M on the near shoulder, white hind Feet, a large Star in the Forehead, five Years old, a natural Pacer, bare-footed, the Saddle is near half worn, has a Hogskin Seat, long upper Skirt, a new cross-barred Cloth, and was made by Joseph Jacobs, in Philadelphia. Whoever takes up the said Mare, and secures her, so as the Owner may have her again, shall have Four Dollars Reward, and One Dollar for the Saddle, with reasonable Charges, paid by me.

GERSHOM MOTT.

Hopewell, December 20, 1762.

Strayed or stolen from Mr. John Bullen's at Pennington, on the 7th Instant, a black Mare, about 13 Hands and an Half high, seven Years old, has neither Brand nor Earmark, paces a Travel, and trots well, is a heavy well-set creature of her Size; she has had a bad Cut with a Scythe in one of her Fore-feet, tho' it is now well, but a plain Scar appears. Whoever takes up said Mare, and brings her to the abovesaid Bullen, or to the Subscriber, shall have Twenty Shillings Reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by

Philip Palmer, junior.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1775, *December* 30, 1762.

Three Pounds Reward,

RUN-away, from Albany, the 18th day of November

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1762, from the subscriber living in Pennington, West New-Jersey; an indented servant man, named John White, about 21 years of age, 5 feet 6 inches high; a shoemaker by trade, of a pale countenance, well set, wears his own hair, of a light colour, much given to card playing: Had on when he went away, a Jersey regimental coat, red waistcoat, buckskin breeches, yarn stockings, old shoes with steel buckels, and a narrow brim'd hat; he is suppos'd to have gone to some part of New-England, where he has had some acquaintance. Whoever takes up said servant, and brings him to the subscriber, or secures him in any of his Majesty's goals, so as his master may have him again, shall receive the above reward, and all reasonable charges paid, by

JIERARD SAXTON

Newark, Dec. 20, 1762.

To be Sold,

A House and homestead; containing 14 acres of good clear'd land, 3 of which are mowing, situate on the brink of Passaick River; joining to the homestead of Col. John Low, and in the road leading to Second River; very convenient for any gentleman that would choose a country seat, the above hath 50 nice young apple trees on it, and a young nursery of sundry fruit trees, ready to set out in the premises. Any person inclining to purchase the same, may apply to Timothy Davis, at Newark, who will let them know the conditions of sale.

Any Gentleman of New-York, may be supplied with hogshead Hoops and Staves, by Marius Glanvil, Merchant, at Bound-Brook, giving timely Notice, to Mr. Joshua Mullock, in Pearl-Street, who has to sell, a Quantity of Oats by the Bushell, and Irish Butter by the Firkin.

MARIUS GLANVILL.

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WANTED,

At Elizabeth-Town, New-Jersey;

A Schoolmaster, that can be recommended, Enquire at Dr. Matthias Dehart, for further Particulars.—*The New York Mercury, January* 3, 1763.

NEW-YORK, *December* 30.

The Intrepid Man of War, Capt. Hale, in coming up from Sandy-Hook, ran aground upon the East Bank, but got off again on Tuesday: we don't hear that she receiv'd any Damage.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1048, *January* 6, 1763.

Wanted at the Boarding School at Burlington,

A Sober single Man, qualified to teach the Latin Language; if he understands French, he will suit the better; Such a Person by applying to THOMAS POWELL, Master of the said School, will meet with good Encouragement.

To be Sold by the Subscribers

Two Thirds of an Iron Forge, situate in West-Jersey, upon the River Misconetkonk, about a Mile from the River Delaware, and about 50 Miles from the City of Philadelphia; together with 552 Acres of Land, whereon there is erected a good Saw-mill, with several Dwelling-houses, Coal-house and Stables all in tolerable good Order; some Meadow cleared, and more may be made, all the rest chiefly Wood-Land, being exceeding fertile for Grain or any Thing else that may or will be sown or planted therein. Any Person inclining to purchase the same, may know the Terms of Sale by applying to the Subscribers, living on the Premises, and be further informed of the Conveniences.

ABRAM EVANS, JONATHAN THOMAS.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1776, *January* 6, 1763.

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To be Sold,

BY the Subscriber, a Plantation of 110 Acres of Land, one Mile from Prince-Town, in New-Jersey; it lies almost four square, with a Brick House, four Rooms on the lower Floor, four Fire Places, a Cellar all under, cut into three Apartments; said House stands fronting the College in fair view, a good Apple Orchard and other Fruit Trees; about half said Land is cleared, 7 Acres of Meadow, and about 10 Acres of Swamp adjoining, may be cleared, a Pond of Water already damed up, which waters said Meadow, and may water said Swamp. Also some Lots of Land in said Town near the College; Any Person inclining to view said Premises, may apply to the owner near said Town, or to Ephraim Manning in said Town; William Penn's Title has been sold but twice since he conveyed it, per

Nathaniel Fitz Randolph.

TO be sold, a healthy young Negro Wench, about 26 Years old, had the Small-pox, and understands all sorts of House Work, with a young Negro Boy of 7 Months old, the Wench sold for no Fault: Enquire of George Willis near the College, at New-York, or of Adrian Dow, at Second River in New-Jersey.—*The New York Mercury, January* 10, 1763.

All Persons having Demands on the Estates of Mr. John Walters, late of this City, deceas'd, or Col. Peter Schuyler, of New-Jersey deceas'd, are desired to bring in their Accounts: And those indebted to the said Estates, to pay the same to Mr. Peter Du Bois.

Jan. 6, 1763. CATHARINE SCHUYLER.

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To be Sold at Public Vendue,

On the Premises, on Monday the 28th Day of March next,

THE advantageously situated Farm and Plantation, late of ADONIAH SCHUYLER, deceased at Elizabeth-Town Point; whereon is a good Dwelling House, Barn, Out-Houses, a large Orchard, together with the Ferry, and Road from the Sound, to the Upland of Staten-Island, and the several Privileges belonging to the same. The Title is indisputable, and a Deed will be given to the Purchaser, by John Schuyler, and Gertrude Schuyler, Executors of the last Will and Testament of the said Adoniah Schuyler, who have Power to sell the same..—*The New York Gazette, January* 10, 1763.

NEW-YORK, *January* 6.

Saturday last 8 Sail of Transports left Sandy Hook for England, with a fair Wind.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1049, *January* 13, 1763.

LIST of LETTERS *remaining in the* POST-OFFICE *in Philadelphia.*

Charles Brown, John Blair, James Brown and Robert Brown, New-Jersey. Hugh Creighton, Haddonfield.

Heckless Falkner (2) Gloucester

Mary Jackson, Monmouth County; Mary Johnson, New-Jersey.

John Lyle and William Leard, New-Jersey; Alexander Linn, Somerset County. Eleanor Lyell, Middletown. Samuel Martin, Cumberland County William Martin and Agness Masters, N. Jersey. John Mackee, Cumberland County.

James Neilson, New-Jersey.

Robert Patterson (2) Pilesgrove; Samuel Patterson, Cumberland County Joseph Rickless, West Jersey.

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Francis Saunders, West Jersey.

Joseph Thompson, Cumberland County; Samuel Tucker, New Jersey.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1777, *January* 13, 1763.

On Tuesday, the First Day of March next, will be exposed to Sale, at public Vendue, a valuable Plantation, in the Town-ship of Amwell, and County of Hunterdon, late of John Johnson, deceased, containing 180 odd Acres, 130 Acres cleared, the Remainder well timbered, a large Orchard, 8 Acres of Meadow, and more can be made, and the whole can be watered in the driest Season. There are on the Premises a large Stone House, with a Wood Kitchen, and a large Frame Barn; also two good Springs by the House, and Water in all the Fields. There will likewise be sold the same Day, on the Premises, several Sorts of Houshold Goods, Feather Beds and Bed Cloaths, and sundry Implements belonging to Farming. The Conditions to be known at the Time and Place, where Attendance and a good Title will be given by

John Barber, and Caleb Toole, Executors.

N. B. Also to be sold by the said Executors, a healthy Negroe Woman, about 45 Years of Age, has had the Small-pox and Measles, and is well acquainted with House-work.

NEW YORK, January 3.

There was not one Vessel at the Hook yesterday Morning.

Philadelphia, January 13, 1763.

The Time of Credit given by the Subscribers to the Purchasers of Goods and Effects sold at Vendue, late belonging to Joseph Wright, of Julias-Town, being expired, all Persons who have not paid for the same, are desired to

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do it immediately; And such as are indebted to said Joseph Wright, are again desired to discharge their respective Ballances. Attendance will be given at the House of Reuben Eldridge, in Julias-Town, the 24th and 25th Instant, and such Persons as do not pay at or before that Time, may expect to be proceeded against as the Law directs. The Creditors of Joseph Wright are requested to send their Accounts to the Subscribers, that they may proceed to make a Dividend.

Thomas Clifford,	Joseph Pennock, jun.	Trustees.
Benjamin Morgan,	Jonathan Hough,	
Uriah Woolman,	Jos. Lamb.	

New Jersey, Gloucester County, ss. WHEREAS Sarah, the Wife of Samuel Spicer, of Waterford, in the County aforesaid, Practitioner in the Art of Surveying, hath run her said Husband considerably in Debt, and otherwise much misbehaved herself towards her said Husband; These are therefore to forewarn all Persons not to trust the said Sarah, in any Respect, for the future, on her said Husband's Account, for he will not pay any Debts of her contracting, after the Date hereof.

January 8, 1763. Samuel Spicer.

To be sold by the Subscriber hereof, a certain Plantation, situate on Rancocus Creek, in the Township of Willingsborough, and County of Burlington, in West New-Jersey, containing upwards of 300 Acres of Land, with a good Dwelling-house, Barn, and other Out-houses, and a very good Orchard thereon, near one Half well timbered, and 12 Acres of good banked Meadow, with 10 Acres of Up-land Meadow, and upwards of 30 more may be made, and the Whole well watered. The Title indisputable.

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Any Person inclining to purchase the same, may apply to

JOHN BUZBY.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1777, *January* 13, 1763.

TO BE SOLD,

A Plantation in Middletown, adjoining on Shrewsbury River, and on the Mill-Creek, so that the Farm, or more properly Neck of Land, is two-thirds or more fenced with Water, where there is very good Fowling, and a great Plenty of Fish, Clams, and the very best of Oysters, all within 6 or 8 Rods of the Door, where 8 and 10 Cord Boats pass by almost every Day within 3 or 400 Yards of the House, and may come within 6 or 8 Rods of the Door. The said Farm lying about 4 Miles from Sandy-Hook, containing 240 Acres of good Land for Grass or Grain of any sort; 150 Acres of which is cleared, and all in good Fence, joining East and West on two Brooks, and North-East and N. West by the above said River and Creek, so that every Field is well water'd, with between 15 or 20 Acres of good Salt-Meadow belonging to the same. On it is a good large Dwelling-House, Kitchen, and Out-Houses, with a good large Stone Cellar under the House, with two good Apple Orchards, a good Dutch Barn. Any Person inclining to purchase the same, let them apply to JOHN TEUNISSON, now living on the Premises, who will agree on reasonable Terms, and will give an indisputable Title for the same.

SINCE English Horses have been imported into New-York, it is the Opinion of some People, that they can out-run The TRUE-BRITTON. This is to satisfy the Publick, that I will RUN him with any Horse that can be produced in America; to run on Long-Island the Four Mile Heats, or One Heat, carrying Eleven Stone, for

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Three Hundred Pounds, or more, any Time between this and the Tenth of April, only giving me one Month's Notice. If no Person thinks proper to accept of this Proposal, I desire they will never mention running with him again, as I purpose keeping him for covering.

A. W. Waters.

N. B. Any Person that incline to make a Race, may apply to Capt. Nathaniel Heard, in Woodbridge, or Mr. Benjamin Waters on Long-Island.—*The New York Gazette, January* 17, 1763.

SCHEME
OF THE
New-York Light-House, and Publick
LOTTERY, for the Year 1763.

LIGHT-HOUSES erected on proper Places, for the Safety of Trade and Navigation, being by all Trading Nations, allowed to be of the greatest Utility; the Legislature of the Colony of New-York, from a Conviction of the Necessity of a proper LIGHT-HOUSE on Sandy-Hook, for the better Security of the Trade and Navigation of this and the neighbouring Colonies, being ready and willing to assist towards the Completion of the Light-House already begun there, did, in their Session in December 1762, pass a Law to raise, by Way of Lotteries, the Sum of *Six Thousand Pounds.* The One-half whereof to be applied towards finishing and compleating the Light-House begun on Sandy-Hook; and the other Half towards defraying the Exigencies of Government. In order therefore to carry into Execution the good Intention of the Legislature, the following Scheme of a Lottery, for raising *Three Thousand Pounds,* is presented to the Publick: And it is hoped, that from the immediate Necessity of the one, and the Urgency of the other Purpose, the LOTTERY will meet with all due Encouragement.

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The LOTTERY is to consist of 10,000 Tickets, at *Forty Shillings* each, whereof 1684 are to be fortunate. Subject to *Fifteen per Cent.* Deduction, viz.

Prizes.		Value of each.		Total Value.
2	of	£1000	are	£2000
4		500		2000
8		200		1600
10		100		1000
30		50		1500
50		20		1000
100		15		1500
400		10		4000
1080		5		5400
1684 Prizes		Makes 10,000 Tickets		———
8316 Blanks		at Forty Shillings.		£20,000

The Drawing to commence on the Tenth Day of May next, or as soon before that Time as the Lottery is full, at the City-Hall of New-York, under the Inspection of the Members of the Corporation.

***TICKETS are to be had at the Dwelling Houses of ABRAHAM LOTT, jun. and CHRISTOPHER SMITH, who are appointed Managers, have given Security, and sworn faithfully to execute the Trust reposed in them. And as soon as the Drawing is finished, and the Books settled, the Numbers of the Fortunate Tickets will be published in this Paper, and the Monies paid to the Possessors thereof.

New-York, January 17, 1763.

—*New York Gazette, January* 17, 1763.

AN Advertisement, subscribed by A. W. Waters, having appeared in the last New-York Gazette, in which the whole Continent of America is challenged, in the most illiterate, unsportsman-like Terms, to start an Horse for the Sum of Three Hundred

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Pounds, against one in his Possession, called the True Briton. And as the Breed of English Horses is squinted at, with great Contempt, I take the Liberty to acquaint the Public, that I will start a Horse lately purchased by me of Mr. Holmes, of Carlisle, in Old England, to run for One Hundred Pounds, over Haerlem Course, the best of Three Four Mile Heats, against his boasted Favourite, each carrying Nine Stone, on the Tenth of April next. And I will bet One Hundred Pounds, that mine is better bred; and a Third Hundred Pounds, that he is much better qualified for a Stallion, being far superior to his Horse in Shape, Strength, and Action. It may be proper to observe to this redoubted Advertiser, That all Five Years old Horses carry no more than Nine Stone: And he is cautioned, not to look upon such a shaped Animal as the Briton is, to be invincible, until he has beat a good Horse which he once most unsuccessfully attempted. Remember PACOLET, Master Abraham. One Word more, and then I shall have done with the Jersey Hero. I will engage to run the Produce of a Mare that shall be covered by my Horse, against the Produce of one covered by the Briton, in April, when they are rising Four Years old, at 8 Stone 7 Pounds each, for Three Hundred Pounds, play or pay. And this Challenge I am indebted to give, that the Publick may be informed, I rely as much upon the Goodness of my Horse as a Stallion, as I do upon his Racing Performance. If therefore the Briton is not approv'd in Shape, Strength, and Running Form; and if his Owner declines to consent to what I have offered, desire he will not presume to rank him with any others than the common Mongrells of the Country from whence he was derived, and that he will be forever silent upon the Subject of Matching and Racing.

New-York, January 24, 1763. J. LEARY.

—*The New York Gazette, January* 24, 1763.

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To be Sold, a Plantation and Tract of Land containing about 200 Acres, situate on Little Timber Creek, and within the Town bound of Gloucester, in West New-Jersey, being about one Mile from the River Delaware, 20 Acres whereof is good Meadow and more may be made at a small Expence, as the Creek is stop'd out, there is no Occasion for Banking; about 15 Acres of Up-land is clear'd, on which is a Frame House with an Orchard of good Fruit Trees, the Remainder of said Tract is well timber'd with Hickory and Oak.

The Main Road leading from Gloucester both to Coopers Ferry and Haddonfield passes through the Tract, and is very convenient for any Person inclining to attend the Philadelphia Market.

No Part of the Consideration Money is wanted, the Purchaser giving Security and paying Interest, for further Particulars apply to the Subscriber, living in Philadelphia, who has to Lett or Rent forever, several Lotts of Ground situate in Hudson's Square and fronting on the Fifth street of the City; also in the District of Southwark.

THOMAS WHARTON.

—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1051, *January* 27, 1763.

LONDON

Nov. 6. Wednesday WILLIAM FRANKLIN, Esq; with his Lady, set out for Portsmouth, to embark for his Government of New Jersey.

Run away from the Subscriber in Maidenhead, New Jersey, on the 20th of this instant January, an Apprentice, named Joseph Smith, about 18 or 19 Years of Age, about five Feet two Inches high, has a long thin Face, short brown Hair, speaks English only. Had on when he went

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away, a Felt Hat, short Coat, with Patches on it of different Colours, a white Swanskin Jacket, with black Horn Buttons on it, old patched Leather Breeches, blue and white mixed Yarn Stockings, a striped Shirt, and old Pumps. It is supposed he stole a Pair of Worsted Stockings of near the same Colour of the others. Whoever takes up and secures said Apprentice, so that his Master may have him again, shall have all reasonable Charges, paid by

JOSEPH DONELSON.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1779, *January* 27. 1763.

New-York, January 31. Capt. Jacobson arrived here on Friday last from London. He left Portsmouth Nov. 20, in Company with 23 Sail bound to the Northward, under Convoy of the Nightingale Man of War, Capt. Campbell. His Excellency WILLIAM FRANKLIN, Governor of New-Jersey, is on board Capt. Budden bound to Philadelphia.—*The New York Gazette, January* 31, 1763.

TO BE SOLD,

Four valuable Plantations (pleasantly situated) in Salem County, West New-Jersey, viz.

One in Elsinborough, bounding on Alloway's creek, about three Miles from the River Delaware, containing about 500 acres, on which is a good brick House, and other buildings, with a sufficient quantity of good wood land, and 200 acres of Meadow, &c.

One near the mouth of Salem creek, containing about 300 acres, on which is a good brick House, and other buildings, with a large quantity of Meadow woodland, &c.

One on the South branch of Salem creek, containing 220 acres, on which is an extraordinary good dwelling

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House, Barn, Stables, &c. very fine meadows, and extraordinary wood-land.

One on the abovesaid branch of Salem creek, (about 1 Mile and a half further up) containing about 150 acres, with good buildings, &c.

The above said Plantations are all in extraordinary good order, being under good fences, banks, &c.

Also a House and Lot in the town of Salem aforesaid, containing 9 acres, 7 of which is very fine clover meadow.

For further particulars enquire of John Hart, in Philadelphia, or the subscriber near the premisses.

JOHN NICHOLSON.

—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1052, *February* 3, 1763.

To be sold by public Vendue, on the 10th of the Third Month March next, on the Premises, the Plantation lately belonging to Samuel Baker, deceased, containing 600 Acres or upwards, lying on the River Delaware, in Upper Makefield, Bucks County, in Pennsylvania. There is on the said Plantation three Dwelling-houses, two Barns, two Stables, two old Orchards, and a Ferry over Delaware, known by the Name of Baker's Ferry, six Miles from Trenton, and thirty Miles from Philadelphia; about 50 Acres good Meadow cleared, and a large Quantity more may be made; the other Part of said Place very good for Grain of all Sorts, and produces good Pasturage; the whole well watered, and the uncleared Land well timbered. The Purchaser, paying one Half of the Money down, may have Time for the Remainder, on giving Security, and paying Interest, by JOSEPH BAKER, and JOHN BORROUGHS, Executors

January 7, 1763.

Stolen from the Subscriber, last Tuesday Evening, at

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the House of Isaac Vanaken, in Shipacung, next to Minisink, in Sussex County, West New-Jersey, near Delaware River, A certain sorrel Mare, five Years old next Spring, 15 Hands high, with a Blaze in her Face, is Hip-shot in her near Hip, paces and trotts, has a Way of snorting through her Nose at the first Off-set, and has no Brand nor Ear-mark. Whoever takes up and secures the said Mare, so as the Owner may have her again, and the Thief, that he may be brought to Justice, shall have FIVE POUNDS Reward, Proclamation Money, and reasonable Charges, paid by

Abraham Vanaken, junior.

N. B. She stood at the said Isaac Vanaken's Door, with Saddle and Bridle on, which were taken off with her.

To be sold by the Subscriber, the third Day of March next, on the Premises, A Plantation, or Tract of Land, known by the Name of Spruce-hill, situate in the Township of Upper Freehold, in the County of Monmouth, and Province of New-Jersey, in a good Place for Business, being within Half a Mile of a Saw and Grist-mill, on a Creek which may easily be made navigable to Philadelphia, and is not far distant from Allen-town and Arney's Town, bounded on James Lawrence's and John Leonard's Plantations, in Quality esteemed equal to any Land in said County, containing 440 Acres; on which is a commodious Brick House, 43 Feet by 21, two Story high, with a Stone Kitchen, 20 feet by 16, and a good Barn, 40 Feet by 30, all new, and well built; has a good young Orchard, of near 500 Apple-trees planted thereon, 100 of which is grafted Fruit, of the best Sort, the rest are also good. In which Plantation is included 40 Acres of good Clover Meadow, and upwards of that Quantity more may be made. To be sold also at the same Time and Place a Negroe Woman, a Team of good Horses, an Iron bound

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Waggon, divers Cows, Calves, Sheep and Swine, Farming Utensils, &c with a Variety of Shop Goods, suitable to the Season. Also, a Plantation, on which one George Cook now lives, lying near the one above described, containing 196 Acres of Land, 50 of which are cleared, and 60 Acres more are Swamp, called Horse Pasture Swamp, the most of which will make good Meadow. The Sale to begin at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon. Attendance will be given, and Conditions of Sale made known by

JACOB BRIAN

To be sold also, in a private Way, by the same Person, a Lot or Tract of 120 Acres of Wood-land, lying on South River, in Middlesex County, in the Province aforesaid, about two Miles below the Bridge, on the Road leading from Burlington to Perth-Amboy, on which there is a good Landing-place, and a valuable Fishery. The said several Tracts of Land are well watered and timbered, and the Titles to the same indisputably good. Any Person inclining to purchase, for further Satisfaction are desired to view the Premises.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1780, *February* 3, 1763.

TO BE SOLD,

A Valuable Plantation, lying in the County of Somerset, and Province of New-Jersey, containing about 450 Acres, whereof about 250 is clear'd, very free from Stones, and of an extraordinary good Soil, of which about 30 Acres is good mowable Meadow, and much more may be made; the Remainder being about 200 Acres, is good Woodland, not only well timber'd, but the Soil very rich and level, with a Number of fine Springs and Brooks, which afford Plenty of Water in every Appartment in the driest Seasons. There is on the Premises two good Frame Dwelling Houses, a large Barn almost new, a tolerable

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good Orchard; as also an extraordinary Grist Mill almost new, with two Pair of Stones, and stands upon one of the best Streams perhaps in the Province, known by the Name of Millstone River: There is likewise a new Stone Dwelling-House, with a convenient Merchant's Shop adjoining, standing within a few Yards of the Mill. The Situation is very convenient for Trade, as it joins the Post Road from New-York to Philadelphia, and is betwixt two and three Miles from Princetown College, which renders it valuable on every Account. The Mill, with a few Acres of Land, with the House and Shop near it, may be sold separate from the Plantation, or the Plantation from that, as might best suit the Purchaser. Any Person inclining to purchase the Whole, or either of them, may know the Terms, by applying to JACOB SKILLMAN, living on the Premises, who will give an indisputable Title for the same.

Kingston, January 24, 1763.

—*The New York Gazette, February 7, 1763.*

NEW-YORK, *February* 3.

His Excellency the Hon. WILLIAM FRANKLIN, Esq; Governor of New-Jersey, with his Lady, was on board the Carolina, Capt. Budden.

New-Jersey, January 29th, 1763.

FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

Whereas a vile and scurrilous Advertisement has been lately Printed, and dispersed thro' various parts of this and the neighbouring Provinces, with a villainous and malicious Design, viz. *to blast the Character of the Rev'd Mr. Morton, and destroy his Usefulness;* and for as much as the said Advertisement is of so low and mean a Nature, that nothing can be more so, except the Authors of the

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same, and founded in such manifest Falshood, that the said Authors did not think fit to set their Names to it, but meanly lurk'd, while they stab'd, in the dark: The Relation we stand in, to the Rev'd Mr. Morton, together with our Knowledge of that Gentleman's conduct amongst us, which has been basely misrepresented by *designing Persons*, induces us to take this method, to drag, if possible, those despicable Wretches to light, and in this we are fully persuaded we shall have the Approbation of the Congregation, since, to their honour they remain unshaken in their good Opinion of, and Affection to, their Minister. Whoever therefore shall discover the Author or Authors, Publisher or Publishers, of the said Advertisement, so that he or they, may be prosecuted as the Law directs, shall have the above Reward, paid by us, or either of us, the *Wardens* of the Church in Kingwood.

JOHN GRANDIN.
DENNIS WOOLVERTON.

—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1053, *February* 10, 1763.

To be Lett, for a Term of Years,

A PLANTATION and Saw-mill, in Gloucester County, New-Jersey; the Plantation containing about 800 Acres of good Land, about 60 Acres whereof cleared, and about 30 Acres of Meadow, partly made, and Allowance will be made for making the whole; about 100 Acres within Fence, besides the cleared Land. There is a good new Stone Dwelling-house on the Place, and a Wooden House near the Saw-mill; the Land well timbered and watered, and not above two Miles to hawl Timber &c., from the Mill to a good Landing. Any Person inclining to rent the same, may apply to PRISCILLA HARRISON, at WILLIAM HARRISON'S, near Gloucester, and know the Terms

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Salem County, in West Jersey, January 26, 1763

WHEREAS a certain Joseph Cartwrite, and Clement Leonard, were advertised by James Baxter, Sheriff of Cecil County, Maryland, and William Murdo; this is to inform the said Sheriff, and Murdo, that the said Joseph Cartwrite, and Clement Leonard, are now in Salem Goal.

JOSEPH BURROUGHS, Sheriff.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1781, *February* 10, 1763.

LIST of the Numbers that were drawn PRIZES in the BURLINGTON CHURCH LOTTERY. . . . .

PHILADELPHIA, February 17.

WILLIAM FRANKLIN, Esq; Governor of New Jersey, and his Lady, are Passengers with Captain Budden, but the Winds having been contrary ever since the Ship got into the Road, they are not yet come to Town.

***The PUBLICK are desired to beware of Counterfeit THREE POUND New-Jersey Bills, which, of late, have appeared among us. . . . They are badly done on a Copper-plate, dated April 8, 1762, and are printed on three Folds of Paper, pasted together, the Letters in the whole Bill being very irregular, and standing much out of Line; whereas the true Bills are neatly and regularly done in the common Printing Manner, and printed on two Folds of Paper. In the first Line of the Face of the Counterfeit, the O in POUNDS is shorter and thicker than the other Letters in that Word; and in the third Line the last E in JERSEY, is not like a Printing E, but is made in the Manner commonly used in Writing. In short, the whole is so ill executed, that we think, after this Notice, no Body can be imposed on by them.

The Public are also desired to beware of Counterfeit

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THIRTY SHILLING Bills of the same Money, as lately advertised in this Paper.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1782, *February* 17, 1763.

LIST of LETTERS remaining in the POST-OFFICE in PHILADELPHIA

Daniel Abell, Gloucester. Ensign J. Anderson, Maidenhead.

John Armands, Bound-brook. Thomas Chadock, Burdentown.

John E. Hopkins, Haddonfield, Andrew Hopkins, Al. Hewlings, and Charles P. Hughes, N. Jersey; John Hatkinson, Mountholly.

Martin Kill, Gloucester.

Deb. Lippincott and William Lister, West Jersey.

Neal M'Glaughlen, John M'Galtier, Archibald M'Colough, Samuel Morehead, John M'Celugan, and John M'Kee, Cumberland County Barney Ohara, Salem.

Paul Peirce, Cumberland County; Margaret Peterson, N. Jersey.

Albert Ross, N. Jersey. Jacob Skillman, N. Jersey.

William Shute, Salem. Thomas Walker, N. Jersey.

PHILADELPHIA, February 24.

On Saturday last Governor FRANKLIN, and his Lady, arrived here from Lewes-Town; and Yesterday he set out for New-Jersey.

TO BE SOLD

A Tract of Land, containing between 3 and 400 Acres, on George's Road, within three Miles of New Brunswick, in Middlesex County, East New Jersey; it is kind Land, well watered and timbered, and great Part of it may be made good Meadow. It will be either sold together or divided, as may best suit the Purchasers. For further Particulars, enquire of Mr Samuel Okason, at the Long-

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bridge Farm; Mr. Samuel Tucker, jun. at Trenton, or of John Lawrence, in Philadelphia.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1783, *February* 24, 1763.

Saturday last arrived in Town, his Excellency WILLIAM FRANKLIN, Esq; Governor of New-Jersey, and his Lady, from on board, Captain Budden, from London.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1055, *February* 24, 1763.

TO be Sold by JOHN FORMAN, near the Court-House at Freehold, Monmouth County, Two STEERS, six Years old this next Spring; one has been measured, he is nine Feet and one Inch from the Middle of his Forehead to the Extremity of his Rump; he is nine Feet and one Inch thick, and is something better than 17 Hands high; the other is not much inferior to him: They have been fed in the best Manner they could have been fed ever since they were between 3 and 4 Years old: They have had as much Indian Meal as they could eat, and the best Clover Hay, green Wheat, and the best Clover Pasture that could be had for them ever since the first Beginning to feed them: Fatter nor larger Cattle has never been seen or raised in the said County before. Any Person that has a Mind to buy the said Cattle, may apply to the abovesaid John Forman, and they shall have them reasonable.

Feb. 1st, 1763.

To be Let, or Sold,

A Choice Plantation at Ancocus[1] Brook, (or a Place called Peramos[2]) in the County of Bergen, and Eastern Division of the Province of New-Jersey; containing about 105 Acres of good arable Land, Part of which is cleared, the Remain-

[1] Probably Aucocus; now written Hohokus.
[2] Paramus.

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der well wooded; there is on the same a good new Stone Dwelling-House 40 Foot front, and 23 Foot back, the Front is all of hewn Stone, a Cellar under the Whole, and a Well of good Water before the Door; the Walls are near two Foot thick, and good Sash Windows to the House; there is also a good Kitchen 23 Foot one Way, and 20 Foot the other Way, and a good Fire-place therein: The House contains four Fire-places, and is two Story high, is pleasantly situated between two Main Roads, and has an Entry through the House into the Kitchen, all very beautifully contrived: There is also on the said Tract a small Barn, a good Gristmill, and a good Sawmill, all in good Order, and has not wanted for Water in the driest Times; there is likewise a thriving young Orchard on the same, 'tis as publick and pleasant a Place as is in the County, fit for Merchant's Business, a Tavern, or any other Business. ALSO a Dwelling House and Lot of Ground in the City of New-York. . . . . Any Person inclined to Purchase the Whole or either of the said Premises, or to hire the same, may apply to Elizabeth Lane, at the House of Mr. William Rousby, near the Oswego Market, and agree upon reasonable Terms. An indisputable Title will be given.

All Persons indebted to Henry Lane,[1] late of Bergen aforesaid, deceased, are desired forthwith to pay their respective Debts. And those that have any lawful Demands on the Estate of said Henry Lane, are desired to send their

[1] The will of Henry Lane, of Paramus, Bergen county, merchant, dated December 27, 1762, was proved January 29, 1763, so that it was probably a death-bed will. The testator devises to his wife, Elizabeth, one-third of his real estate (not described) in "Bargin" county and in New York, and all his silver-plate; one-third of said real estate to his son, William Henry Lane, and one-third to his daughter, Geesie Lena. He leaves a legacy to his wife's mother, Geesie Lena Rousby. Executors—his wife and William Rousby, of New York, merchant. The West Jersey Society gave a power of attorney, dated May 7, 1752, to Henry Lane and Lewis Johnston, which was revoked August 5, 1761. In the meantime Henry Lane had executed two conveyances as agent and attorney of the Society. One of them recites that Thomas Lane, one of the Committee of the West Jersey Society, was eldest son of John Lane, who was eldest son of Sir Thomas Lane, Knight, and Alderman of London.

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Accompts, that the same may be adjusted. ELIZABETH LANE, Executrix.—*The New York Gazette, February* 28, 1763.

Trenton, February 25, 1763.

To be sold at public Vendue, on Monday, the Eleventh of April next, the House in which Mr. Pontius Stelle[1] now lives, in Trenton; it is two Stories high,[2] with four Rooms on a Floor, and good dry Cellars under the Whole, with a large Kitchen, Shop, and Store-House adjoining. The Lot contains about Half an Acre of Land, on which there are also large convenient Stables, a Chaise House, and a good Well of Water. The above Premises is conveniently situated for any public Business, in a pleasant Part of the Town, and has been a well frequented Tavern, constantly kept up, for above thirty Years past. The Title is indisputable, and the Purchaser may have Time for Payment, giving Security, and paying the Interest yearly.

Mary Beadels.

Also to be leased, for a Term of years, two good Meadow Lots, the one containing ten, and the other five Acres; and two Orchards, having about One Hundred bearing Apple Trees in each, all lying contiguous to the above Premises.

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[1] Pontius Stelle was a son of Gabriel Stelle, a prominent citizen of Perth Amboy, and was the grandson of Poncet Stelle, who is styled in the record of the French Huguenot church of New York, "sieur des Loriers," and is sometimes referred to as "dit desloriers," whence it is inferred that he was from the little village of Lorieres, near Limoge, in the southwest of France. Elizabeth, the first wife of Gabriel Stelle, died July 29, 1723, aged 38 years, 2 mos., 1 day. She and her infant son Benjamin (died November 14, 1719, in his third year) are buried in Christ church burying ground, Shrewsbury. She was the mother of Pontius Stelle. The latter was a member of the Assembly from Perth Amboy, 1745-49. He is mentioned as of Amboy in 1740. In 1747 he was appointed one of the commissioners to disburse the funds for the expedition against Canada. Administration on the estate of Pontius Stelle was granted, November 12, 1770, to Benjamin Biles.

[2] In a similar advertisement in the New York Mercury, March 14, 1763, the house is described as "two Stories and a half high."

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To be SOLD or LETT,

A FARM or Plantation, lying on the Post Road, between Kingston and Princetown, containing 119 Acres of good Land, about 80 Acres of which is cleared, with a good Meadow, well watered. There is on said Plantation a commodious new Stone House, well finished, with a good Stone Kitchen, and a Piazza, a good Draw-well, Barn, Stable and Chaise House. There are on said Plantation seven Fields, the whole in good Fence. For further Particulars, enquire of THOMAS NORRIS, Inn-keeper, living in Bristol.

Whereas on the 26th of January last, a certain John Brown, about five Feet four Inches high, of a swarthy Complexion, with black Eyes, took a brown bay Horse from the Subscriber, living in Greenwich Township Gloucester County, New Jersey; said Horse is about 13 Hands and an Half high, has three white Feet, bald Face, and a Kind of black List down his Back, paces swift, but trots when rid a while, runs pretty sharp, of good Spirit, but tender-mouthed; also an old hunting Saddle with large Stirrup irons, the Swivel larger than common, and a snaffle Bridle. Said Brown wore an old Felt Hat, red Cap, blue Coat lined with red, light green Jacket, with Leather Buttons, and old Sheepskin Breeches; has been on board a Man of War, is a great Gamester at Cards, plays the Slight of Hand, and pretends to have a Lot of Land in New England. Whoever secures said Brown, with the Horse, so as the Subscriber may get them again, shall have Five Pounds Reward for both, or Fifty Shillings for either, paid by

BENJAMIN HOWELL.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1784, *March* 3, 1763.

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New-York, March 7. On Friday the 25th of February last, his Excellency WILLIAM FRANKLIN, Esq; Captain General and Governor in Chief of the Province of New-Jersey, arrived at Amboy from England, by Way of Philadelphia. His Excellency reached New-Brunswick the Evening before, and notwithstanding the great Inclemency of the Weather, a Number of Gentlemen from Amboy went out in Sleighs to meet him, as did the Middlesex Troop of Horse, and attended Him in. On his Arrival in that City, he was received by his Excellency JOSIAH HARDY, Esq; their late Governor, and the Gentlemen of his Majesty's Council for that Province, who had been summoned on the Occasion. His Excellency's Commission being first read in Council, and the usual Oaths administered, the same was published in the Court-House, amidst a numerous Concourse of People; and the whole, it is said, was conducted with as much Decency and good Decorum as the Severity of the Season could possibly admit of. We hear his Excellency sat out a Day or two afterwards for Burlington, to publish his Commission in that City also, agreeable to the Custom of the Province.

TO BE SOLD,

A Plantation situate on Delaware River, 12 Miles distant from Trenton, and 30 Miles from Philadelphia, called Lower *Belle-Mont,* containing 537 Acres, of which about 60 Acres is fine low Land clear'd, and 16 Acres of good Meadow may be made. The Remainder is Upland, 30 Acres clear'd, and the rest is extraordinary well timber'd. There is a patent for a Ferry belonging to it over to Pennsylvania, and a very convenient Creek for securing Boats in Summer and Winter, at a small Distance from the Dwelling House, which is intirely new, with a Kitchen adjoining, and a very fine Spring of Water near to it, also a fram'd Barn. The Place is remarkable

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for sporting, both for Fowl and Fish. For Terms apply to Daniel Coxe, at Trenton, by whom an indisputable Title will be given.

N. B. The Purchaser may be accomodated with 118 Acres, on the Pennsylvania Shore, and opposite to the above, if he chuses, for carrying on the ferry, and at a moderate Price.

TO be LET in Farms from 50 to 300 Acres, on very low Rent, a large Tract of fine Upland and Meadow, nearly in the Center of the County of Sussex, in New-Jersey, and about Half a Mile from the Court-House, whereon there is already about 28 Families settled, and Room for upwards of 30 more, and is known to be one of the best Places in that Province for raising Stock of all Sorts; and on Account the great Number of People employ'd at the Iron Works in that Neighbourhood, there is generally as good a Market for Grain, and other Produce, as at New-York. For the Terms, and further Particulars, enquire of Ephraim Darby, near the Premises, who is impowered to rent any Part thereof that may be wanted, or of WILLIAM KELLY, the Owner, in New-York.

To be sold at Public Vendue, on

Thursday the seventh of April next on the Premises,

THE Plantation late the Property of Benjamin Inslee, deceased, situate, lying and being in Raway, East New-Jersey: The Situation is pleasant on the Country Road, and adjoins the Plantation of James Marshall, in Raway aforesaid, and within three Quarters of a Mile of Raway Landing, containing about 130 Acres, 25 Acres of which is exceeding good English Meadow, and about 30 Acres of Woodland: There is on it a good House and Barn, a good Well near the Door; thro' Part of which

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Plantation runs a pleasant River: There is also on it a good bearing Orchard upwards of 330 Apple Trees of the Fruit, and a Variety of other Fruit Trees, such as Pears, Peaches, Plumbs, &c. Any Person that may want to purchase, must apply to JAMES MARSHALL, near the Premises, who will give an indisputable Title, and agree on reasonable Terms.—*The New York Gazette, March* 7, 1763.

PERTH-AMBOY, *February* 26.

Yesterday about 1 o'Clock his Excellency WILLIAM FRANKLIN, Esq; Captain General and Governor in Chief of the Province of New-Jersey, arrived here from England, by Way of Philadelphia: His Excellency had reached New-Brunswick the Evening before, and notwithstanding the great Inclemency of the Weather, the Middlesex Troop of Horse assembled, and met his Excellency about seven Miles from this Place, and attended him hither; he was also met by several Gentlemen in Sleighs, for the same purpose. On his Arrival in this City, he was received by his Excellency Josiah Hardy, Esq; our late Governor, and the Gentlemen of his Majesty's Council for this Province, who had been summoned hither on that Occasion. His Excellency's Commission being first read in Council, and the usual Oaths administered, the same was published in the Court-House, amidst a numerous Concourse of People; and the whole was conducted with as much Decency and good Decorum, as the severe Season would possibly admit of. His Excellency proposes to set out in a Day or two for Burlington to publish his Commission in that Place also, agreeable to the Custom of this Province.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1057, *March* 10, 1763.

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PERTH-AMBOY, Feb. 28, 1763.

Saturday last the Corporation of this City waited on our new GOVERNOR with the following Address.

TO HIS EXCELLENCY
WILLIAM FRANKLIN, Esq;

Captain General and Governor in Chief, in and over HIS MAJESTY'S Province of NOVA CAESAREA, or NEW-JERSEY, and the Territories thereon depending, in America, Chancellor and Vice-Admiral in the same &c.

The ADDRESS of the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen, and Common Council of the City of PERTH-AMBOY.

May it please your Excellency,

We the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen, and Common Council of this City of Perth-Amboy, embrace this Opportunity of congratulating your Excellency, upon your Appointment to the Government of this Province, and upon your safe Arrival here after the Hazard and Fatigue of a long and dangerous Winter Voyage.

We flatter ourselves, that your Excellency's Administration will be guided by Justice, and influenced by wise Councils; and hope it will not only be approved of, and pleasing to the People of this Province, but also easy and agreeable to yourself. And that the Loss we sustain, in the Removal of His Excellency Governor Hardy (whose mild, benign and just Administration, merits our utmost Gratitude and Esteem) will be supplied by your Excellency's good Government, Wisdom and Prudence.

The Place or Seat of your Residence in this Government, is in your Excellency's Option, and it is not for us to prescribe; but permit us to say, that if you should think proper to make Choice of this City, we shall, in our several Stations, do every Thing in our Power to render it agreeable and worthy of your Excellency's Esteem and Favour.

SAMUEL NEVILL, Mayor.

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To which His EXCELLENCY was pleased to make the following ANSWER.

Gentlemen,

I Thank you for your kind Congratulations. The Esteem you so gratefully and justly express for my Predecessor, is no less agreeable to me. And wherever I may reside, which is as yet uncertain, I shall be glad of every Opportunity of shewing my Regard for the City of Perth Amboy."

After which His Excellency, with our late Governor, several of His Majesty's Council and others, were elegantly entertained at Dinner and Supper by the Corporation.

NEW BRUNSWICK, March 1, 1763.

This Day His Excellency our GOVERNOR arrived here, accompanied by Governor HARDY, and many of the principal Gentlemen and Inhabitants of Amboy. In the Evening he was entertained by the Corporation of this City, when they presented him with the following Address.

To His EXCELLENCY
WILLIAM FRANKLIN, Esq;

Captain-General, Governor and Commander in Chief, in and over His MAJESTY'S Province of NEW-JERSEY, and Territories thereon depending in America, Chancellor and Vice Admiral in the same &c.

The humble ADDRESS of the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of NEW BRUNSWICK

May it please your EXCELLENCY,

We the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New-Brunswick, with Impressions of Duty and Gratitude to His Majesty, our most gracious Sovereign, desire leave to express our hearty Congratulations on your Excellency's safe Arrival, in this severe Season,

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to this Province of your Appointment, and to this City in particular.

Tho' it be not without some sensible Emotions we part with our late worthy Governor, your immediate Predecessor, who, by his Affability, Candour and disinterested Conduct in the Course of his Administration, (tho' short) acquired to himself universal Esteem: Yet from His Majesty's known Goodness, and tender Regard for his Subjects, even in this distant Part of his Dominions, we rest satisfied, and are persuaded that the Reins of Government are happily placed in the Hands of your Excellency, being well acquainted with the Constitution of this Province, in which, may the same continue long a diffusive Blessing, and in which, we are well assured, this Corporation cannot fail sharing in the happy Effects.

We beg leave to assure your Excellency, that our Professions of Loyalty to His Majesty, and of Duty and Affection to your Excellency, in our Station, to render your Government easy and agreeable to yourself, we shall endeavor, upon all Occasions, to evince by correspondent Actions.

To which His EXCELLENCY was pleased to make the following ANSWER.

Gentlemen,

These expressions of your Regard are extremely obliging, and I thank you cordially for your kind Congratulations and good Wishes. The Sentiments you manifest, of Loyalty to the best of Princes, and of just Gratitude to your late Governor, must place the Citizens of NEW BRUNSWICK high in my Esteem, and I shall gladly embrace every Opportunity of demonstrating it

PRINCE-TOWN, March 3, 1763.

Yesterday His Excellency WILLIAM FRANKLIN, Esq;

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Governor of the Jerseys, came to this Town, in his Way from Amboy; and having been pleased to visit the College, he was received by the President and Tutors with great Respect; and being conducted into the Hall, where the Students, and many of the Inhabitants, were assembled, the following Address was presented,

To His Excellency

William Franklin, Esq;

Governor and Commander in Chief in and over His Majesty's Province of New-Jersey, and Territories thereon depending in America, Chancellor and Vice Admiral in the same;

The humble Address of the President and Tutors of the College of New-Jersey.

May it please your Excellency,

We the President and Tutors of the College of New-Jersey, beg leave to congratulate your Excellency on your safe Arrival on this Continent, and Accession to the Government of this Province; and to express the peculiar superadded Pleasure with which we welcome your Excellency to Nassau-Hall, which commits itself to your Protection, and hopes for your Patronage, both as our Governor, and President of the honourable Board of Trustees.

This College, founded on the noblest Motives, by the late excellent Governor Belcher, has been countenanced by his Successors (of whose Politeness and Consideration we retain a grateful Remembrance) and, by the generous Aids which the Friends of Religion and Learning have afforded, it has been raised to its present flourishing State. And if we presume, what we rationally may, from your Excellency's general Character, . . . from your being entrusted with so honourable and important a Commission, by the Father of his Country, the Royal Patron of

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Religion, Virtue, Learning, and whatever is good, and from an Education under the Influence and Direction of the very eminent Doctor FRANKLIN, your Excellency's honoured Father; we cannot but assure ourselves, that you will view this Institution, erected for the best Purposes, with a favourable Eye.

As to its real Merit, your Excellency's acknowledged Penetration, and extensive Acquaintance with polite Literature, will enable you to judge, when you shall have enquired into our Constitution, . . . Methods of Instruction, and Discipline, . . . the Care taken as to the Principles and Morals of the Students, and their Proficiency in the several Branches of Learning.

We are sensible how vain it would be to expect, and how unreasonable to request, your Excellency's Patronage, any farther or longer than we exert ourselves, agreeable to the original Design and direct Tendency of the Institution, to promote the general Good of Mankind, by forming our Pupils for the Service of their Country. And as the faithful Discharge of our Duty to them, is at once conformable to the Divine Command, and will be most acceptable to your Excellency, we shall the more diligently and cheerfully apply ourselves, to instruct them in the various Parts of useful and solid Learning, and instil into their Minds Principles of Loyalty to the best of Kings, . . . a firm Attachment to the most excellent British Constitution, . . . and a sacred Regard to the Cause of Religion and Liberty.

That your Excellency may ever enjoy all those refined Pleasures, that natively spring from a Course of virtuous and beneficent Actions, . . . from an exemplary Conduct in private Life, . . . and a wise, mild and just Administration of public Affairs; and long continue in the Seat of this Government, happy in His Majesty's

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Favour, and the grateful Approbation of a free People, is, and shall be our unfeigned and ardent Desire.

In Behalf of the Faculty, presented by

SIR, Your Excellency's most obedient,
And most humble Servant,
SAMUEL FINLEY, President.

To which his EXCELLENCY was pleased to make the following ANSWER.

GENTLEMEN,

I THANK you for these very obliging Expressions of your Regard for me. Your Stations and Employments are among the most honourable, as the careful Instruction of Youth in the Principles of Religion, Loyalty and sound Learning, is of the greatest Utility to Society. I therefore wish you all imaginable Success, and shall at all Times readily and cheerfully concur with your laudable Endeavours, and afford you every Encouragement and Assistance that may be in my Power."

After which, one of the senior Class pronounced a short congratulatory Oration, of which His Excellency was pleased to express his Approbation and Acceptance.

BURLINGTON, March 5, 1763.

On Thursday Evening last our new Governor arrived here, accompanied by a Number of Gentlemen from Trenton, Borden Town, and the Corporation of this City, who, with the other principal Inhabitants, met the Governor several Miles out of Town. He was received at his Arrival with the greatest Demonstrations of Joy, and the Evening was concluded with Bonfires, Ringing of Bells, Firing of Guns, &c. The next Day his Excellency, attended by the Corporation, and many other Persons of Eminence, proceeded to the Court-house in this City, where his Commission of Governor of New-Jersey was

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opened and declared; he afterwards dined with the Corporation, who presented him with the following Address.

To His EXCELLENCY

WILLIAM FRANKLIN, Esq;

Captain-General, Governor and Commander-in Chief, in and over His Majesty's Province of NOVA CAESAREA, or NEW JERSEY, and Territories thereon depending, in America, Chancellor and Vice Admiral in the same &c.

The humble ADDRESS of the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of BURLINGTON, in Common Council assembled,

May it please your EXCELLENCY,

To accept our hearty Congratulations on your Appointment and on your safe Arrival here; which we tender with the greater Chearfulness, because from your Excellency's liberal Education, personal Character, and Abilities, we are emboldened to hope for all the Blessings which a good and a wise Governor can confer upon a dutiful and loyal People.

May your Excellency long preside over us, in the full Fruition of all that Gratitude can best bestow, and Merit has a right to enjoy.

If the agreeable Situation, Healthiness and Conveniences of this City, accompanied with a sincere Disposition in the Inhabitants to make your Administration easy and happy, should be sufficient Incitements to induce your Excellency to reside among us, we shall esteem ourselves particularly favoured.

By Order of the City

RICHARD SMITH, Recorder.

To which the GOVERNOR was pleased to make the following ANSWER.

Gentlemen,

I return the good Citizens of BURLINGTON my Thanks

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for this affectionate Address. Their hearty Congratulations, and kind Invitation to reside among them, are very obliging; and I hope the favourable Expectations they have entertained of my Administration will not be disappointed"

This Day the Governor set out for Philadelphia, attended by the principal Gentlemen of this City.

To be SOLD

A VERY valuable Tract of Land, containing upwards of 500 Acres, lying and being in Sussex County, in the Province of New-Jersey, and situated upon the River Delaware; it is well timbered, the Soil rich, and Plenty of Limestone; it joins the Plantations lately belonging to William Bishop, and Walter Cohoon, and will be sold either together, or divided into Parcels, as may best suit the Purchasers. For Terms apply to Mrs. Masters, and John Lawrence, of Philadelphia, or Mr. Samuel Tucker, junior, of Trenton.

The Members of the TRENTON LIBRARY COMPANY are desired to attend their annual Meeting at the House of Isaac Yard, in Trenton, at One o'Clock, on Monday, the Eleventh of April next, in order to choose Directors, settle the Company's Accounts, and make their thirteenth annual Payment. By Order of the Directors.

SAMUEL TUCKER, junior, Secretary.

February 14, 1763.

Stolen this Day out of the House of the Subscriber, Shopkeeper, in Amwell Township, a Silver Watch, Maker's Name Charles Clay, No. 1732, China Face. The Hour-hand broke off almost close to the Spindle. There is a small Hole in the Case, near the Button which opens the Spring, a Steel Chain and Key. If the said Watch

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should be offered for Sale, it is desired it may be stopt, for which Twenty Shillings Reward will be given, and for the Thief, if apprehended, so as he may be brought to Justice, shall have Forty Shillings Reward, paid by

Thomas Carroll

To be sold by public Vendue, on the Premises, on the First Day of May next, or any Time before, at private Sale, a valuable Tract of Land, situate, lying and being in Hunterdon County, in the Province of New-Jersey, within two Miles of Princetown, whereon are a good Stone Dwelling-house, good Orchard, a large Quantity of good Meadow Ground, and more may be made; a suitable Quantity of cleared Land, in good Fence, the Remainder exceedingly well timbered, and the whole conveniently watered. The Farm contains about 110 Acres, adjoining the Plantation whereon the Subscriber lives, from which an Addition of 50 or 100 Acres will be made to the other Farm, if the Purchaser should chuse it. An indisputable Title will be given by

SAMUEL STOCKTON

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1785, *March* 10, 1763.

New-York, March 14. On the 24th of February last, Mr. Samuel Ball, of Newark, in New-Jersey, in crossing Hackinsack River, on the Ice, fell in with his Horse and Sleigh, and was drowned: His Body was found the Sunday following, and decently enterred.

We hear that there was killed the Week before last at Elizabeth-Town a Steer, which had been there in keeping, by Robert Ogden, Esq; about 9 Months, weighing, Beef, Hide, and Tallow, about 1700 Weight: This Steer was bred by Doctor Lewis Johnston, of Perth-Amboy.

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Elizabeth-Town, March 1, 1763. Last Night about 12 o'Clock, a Fire broke out in the Dwelling House of Captain Hampton, of this Town, which would have been all consumed in a few Minutes, had not Mr. Hampton and his Wife been alarmed by the Fall of a large Looking-Glass, in the common Parlour. At first sight Mr. Hampton judged it past Recovery, and was getting out his Writings and best Things in his Bed-Room, but his two young Daughters who Slep at the other End of the House, heard their Mother's Shrieks, run immediately out through the Entry, which was full of Smoke and Fire. but they had Resolution to Attempt to save the House, and in a little Time called for their Father, and raised the Negroes, who all came to their Assistance, and by their Means the House was saved. The Fire began in the Mantle-Tree, occasioned by a new Fashion'd Fire Place, being made in another, which cast all the Heat forwards; the Parlour and Room over it was consumed, with all the Furniture; Mr. Hampton got very much Burnt at first opening the Door. The saving the House looks like a Miracle to every one who sees it, and it is hoped it will be a caution to all who make the new Fashion'd Fire Places, to take out all the Wood Mantle-Trees.

WHEREAS the Executors of the last Will and Testament of *Adoniah Schuyler,* deceas'd, having for some Time past advertised the Sale of the Houses, Lands, and Ferry belonging to said *Adoniah Schuyler* at his Death, lying and being at the Elizabeth-Town Point, to be sold on the Premises on Monday the 28th Day of March Instant. And since the Publishing of which, Mr. *Benjamin Price,* of Elizabeth-Town, laid Claim to about 50 Acres of said Land, which has been reported would prevent the Sale thereof. To remove which the Publick

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are hereby notified, that the said Executors have obtained a Release from said *Benjamin Price,* for his whole Right and Interest in said Lands; and that now the Title to said Houses, Lands, and Ferry is indisputable, and that they will be exposed to Sale, at the Time and Place in said Advertisement mentioned.

Will be LETT,

To cover Mares for the ensuing Season, at Connecticut Farms, in the Borough of Elizabeth, New-Jersey, within four Miles of the Town, by Jeremiah Smith,

The HERO,

BRED by Mr. John Holme, of Carlisle, in Old England. The Hero was got by Young Sterling, his Dam by Slipby, which was own Brother to Saup's; his Grandam by Partner, his great Grandam by Greyhound, her dam by Wastel Turk, her Grandam, by Old Haut-Boy, her great Grandam by Place's White Turk, her Dam by Dodsworth, and out of a Lyton Barb Mare. Young Sterling was got by Old Sterling, out of Matchieu's Dam Matchieu won the Whip at New-Market; his Pedigree is certified by the Breeder. Terms of Covering as follows; Five Pounds Proc. at the first Covering, the Mare to have the Benefit of the Season, for which Purpose I have provided Pasture for Mares at a distance, and will take proper care of those that are sent to be covered, for Three Shillings Proc. per Week. Hero is Fifteen Hands and about an Half High, well shaped, and by good Judges, allowed to be most compleat Horse they ever saw in America.

JECAMIAH SMITH

N. B. The Challenge lately given by the Owner of the True-Briton, should have been accepted by the Master of the Hero, had not the Horse so lately arrived from Eng-

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land; but in the Fall, in all Probability, the Publick may have the Satisfaction of seeing the so-much-dreaded True-Briton, beat by the Hero on his own Terms.—*The New York Gazette, March* 14, 1763.

To be sold, by way of public Vendue, a certain Tract of Land, lying in Upper Freehold, Monmouth County, in the Province of East-New-Jersey, between Allen's Town and Imlay's Town, containing by Estimation, 300 Acres, chiefly Wood Land, well timbered and watered, and known by the Name of the old Peach Orchard; it will be sold in Lots, of 20 Acres, or upwards, as will be most convenient. The Vendue to begin at 10 o'Clock, on the 21st Day of April next, at the House of David Clayton, in Allen Town. Any Person inclining to purchase the whole, may know the Terms, by applying to the Subscribers, living in Borden-Town,

TALLMAN SMITH, JOHN BROWN.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1786, *March* 17, 1763.

New-York, March 21. The large New Dwelling House, just finished, of Mr. Thomas Brown, situate on the Jersey Shore facing New-York Bay, was unfortunately burnt down on Thursday Afternoon last, very little of his Furniture being saved. The Fire, it is said, happened through Carelessness, in a Room that Day to be finished, whilst Mr. Brown was absent on his Farm. His Loss is very considerable.

The Corporation of the City of Amboy; the President and Tutors of the College of New-Jersey; and the Corporation of the City of Burlington, have severally addressed their new Governor; all which were received very kindly by his Excellency, and most cordially thanked.

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TO be Sold by Way of Public Vendue, on the Tenth Day of April next, to the highest Bidder, a House and Lot of Land in Prince-Town, near the College, and next the Presbyterian Meeting-House: The House is two Story high, built of Stone, two Rooms on the lower Floor, and two above, with a Cellar under the Whole, a Kitchen adjoining, with a good Stable and Garden, and a Lot of Land containing about Half an Acre: The House formerly belonged to Joseph Murrow, and has been a Publick House, and is well situated for that or any Publick Business. The Vendue to begin at Ten of the Clock of said Day: And an indisputable Title will be given by me

GEORGE NORRIS.

—*The New York Gazette, March* 21, 1763.

NEW-YORK, *March* 14.

By a Pilot who came up last Night, we have Advice, that he left at the Hook, Captain Robinson, in a Ship, in 15 Weeks from London, and 10 from the Land.

Custom-House, Philadelphia, Outwards. Sloop Friendship, John Thompson, for Salem.

On Saturday next will be published by *Andrew* Steuart, at the Bible-in-Heart, in Second-street. [Price 9d]

AN
ADDRESS
TO THE
FREEHOLDERS
OF
NEW-JERSEY.

—*The Pennslyvania Journal, No.* 1059, *March* 24, 1763.

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To be sold by public Vendue, on Saturday, the 2d of April at Two o'Clock Afternoon, at Daniel Cooper's Ferry, a valuable Plantation, of about 200 Acres, near one Third cleared, in good Fence, one Half of which in good low Meadow, and more may be made; the Woodland extraordinary well-timbered; there are on said Plantation, a Frame House, with two Rooms on the lower Floor, and Fire-places in both, a Barn, Stables, good bearing Orchard, and a Spring of very good Water within 20 or 30 Yards of the Door; said Premises situate within three Miles of Philadelphia, or Cooper's Ferry, in Gloucester County, on a Branch of Newtown-creek, and is a good old accustomed Place to raise Produce for Philadelphia Market, near 40 Years past, and may, with Industry, produce sufficient to attend the same every Day in the Summer Season. The Title indisputable. Any Person inclining to view the Premises before the Day of Sale, may apply to the Subscriber, living at the Corner of Arch and Second streets, next Door to Thomas Maybury's Store. The Conditions will be made known at the Time and Place of Sale, by

JOHN NEWBY.

TEN POUNDS *Reward*

Run away from the House of William Kille in Greenwich Township, Gloucester County, West-New-Jersey, on the River Delaware, between Rackoon and Oldman's Creek, between the 16th and 17th of March inst. two hired Men, one named Peter Buris, of a Dutch Descent, this Country born, a likely fresh coloured Fellow, about 5 Feet 8 Inches high, well set, a great Swearer and Wrestler, and apt to drink hard, 25 Years of Age, has grey Eyes, and black short Hair: had on a Leather Cap, lined with Squirrel-skin, green napped Jacket, light coloured Plush

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Breeches, blue grey Stockings, black grained Boots, and had with him two Ozenbrigs Shirts, and an Ozenbrigs Frock; has worked about Philadelphia these several Years past, and drove a Team on an Expedition to the Ohio. The other went by the Name of James Smith, born in, and came lately from, Queen Ann's County, in Maryland; he had on a half worn Felt Hat, old light blue Coat and Jacket, light Cloth Breeches, full of Patches, light Yarn Stockings, and had with him a new Lead coloured homespun Pair of Trowsers, which it is likely he wears to hide his Breeches; he has grey Eyes, a little freckled, brown Hair, slender built, about 5 Feet 10 Inches high, walks stooping, about 22 Years of Age. They stole, at the same Time, from the said William Kille, Twenty Shillings in Money, two fine Shirts, and a Lawn Neckcloth; and from Benjamin Howell, of the same Place, a half worn Beaver Hat, with a Spot or two of Pitch on it, and a Moses-built Boat. Whoever secures the said Fellows, in any of his Majesty's Goals, so as they may come to Justice, shall have the above Reward, or Five Pounds for each, and reasonable Charges, paid by us the Subscribers,

WILLIAM KILLE, BENJAMIN HOWELL.

On Saturday next will be published, and sold by ANDREW STEUART, at the Bible-in-Heart, in Second street, Philadelphia, [Price Nine-pence]

An Address to the Freeholders of New Jersey.

To be SOLD by the Subscriber,

The following Pieces of LAND, viz.

One Tract, containing 123 Acres, with a good Dwelling-house and Orchard, a good Grist-mill, on a Stream sufficient in the driest Season, situate in Greenwich Township, Gloucester County, West Jersey.

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One Piece at Clemwell Creek, in the Township and County aforesaid, containing 21 Acres, 15 of which good Meadow Ground, within Bank. Also a two Story Brick House, and Lot, in the Borough of Wilmington. Any Person inclining to purchase any of the above described Premises, may apply to William Gerrard, at Gloucester, where they will be informed of the Title and Terms.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1787, *March* 24, 1763.

NEW-YORK, March 21

About Three o'Clock last Friday Afternoon, the House of Mr. Thomas Brown, of Bergen, New Jersey, took Fire, and was entirely consumed in less than Half an Hour, with almost every Thing of Value that was therein, to the very great Loss of Mr. Brown: The House was new, and the Carpenters being at Work in one of the Chambers, 'tis imagined the Fire began among the Shavings.

LIST of LETTERS at the *Post-Office* in Philadelphia

William Crum, Piles-grove; David Curtis, Squan-Creek. Edmond Drake, New Jersey. Nicholas Gibbon, Salem. David Jones, Middletown; Thomas Taylor, Freehold.

March 20, 1763.

Run away on the 19th. Instant, at Night from Edmund Beakes, near Allen-Town, in East-Jersey, a Servant Man, named Thomas Jones, a middle sized Man, of a brown Complexion, with long black Hair, which he commonly wears tied behind, and is a Shoemaker by Trade: Had on, when he went away, a green Ratteen Coat, with a Collar, and flowered Metal Buttons, a white Swanskin Waistcoat, light brown Breeches, with brown Horn Buttons, light blue Yarn Stockings, and half worn Calf-skin Shoes,

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one of them patched on the Toe, and yellow carved Buckles. He took a Wallet with him, a Pair of new Pumps, and two Shirts, the one Check, the other Ozenbrigs. It is thought he is gone to Pennsylvania. Whoever takes up, and brings home the said Thomas Jones, or secures him, so that his Master may have him again, shall receive Three Pounds Reward and reasonable Charges paid by

EDMUND BEAKES.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1788, *March* 31, 1763.

TO BE SOLD,

A Piece of land at the upper end of Germantown, with two small tenements thereon. . . . .

Likewise 156 acres of Land, near Little Ease Branch, in Gloucester County, West New-Jersey, adjoining to a tract belonging to Amos Strettell. For terms of sale enquire of Edward Pennington.

All those indebted to the said Edward Pennington, whose debts are become due, are desired to pay.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1060, *March* 31, 1763.

THE RAVEN,

A VERY fine three Quarter blooded Horse, 14 Hands 3 Inches high, a jett Black with a Star and a Snip, one white Foot, rising 7 Years old this Grass, a very easy Trotter, and as handsome perhaps as any Horse upon the Continent, covers this Spring, at a Pistol for a single Leap, or two Pistoles Leap and Trial and two Shillings to the Groom, paid at the Stable Door; Mares will be taken good care of, by ABRAHAM CHATTIN, Woodbury Creek, Gloucester County, West New-Jersey.

Custom-House, Philadelphia, Entered In. Brig Charlotte, Charles Lowe, from Salem.

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Cleared. Brig Friendship, George Thompson, to Salem.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1061, *April* 7, 1763.

To be sold at public Vendue, on the 25th Day of April next, on the Premises, a Tract of Land, lying in Burlington County, in the Township of Hanover, about 14 Miles from Burlington and 10 from Mountholly, containing near 700 Acres, to be divided into three equal Parts, all well watered and timbered. On one there is a good House, and on another an Orchard. Said Tract of Land joins Joseph Lamp's. The Vendue to begin at Ten o'Clock, when the Conditions will be made known by

JOSEPH LEONARD.

N. B. To be sold at same time, another Piece of Land, chiefly Meadow Ground. Any Person inclining to purchase may view the same, by applying to JOSEPH BIDDLE, junior, living near the Place.

THIRTY SHILLINGS Reward.

Run away on the Fifth of this instant April, in the Evening from John Kaighin, in Haddonfield, Gloucester County, an English Servant Boy, named Richard Clark, about 4 Feet high, a chunky thick set Fellow, has a full Face, much Pock-marked, and has sandy Hair. Had on, when he went away, a light grey coloured Coat, with a Cape, thick strong Shoes, with large Brass Buckles, old Felt Hat, and old Leather Breeches. Whoever secures the said Servant, so as his Master may have him again, shall have the above Reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by

JOHN KAIGHIN

N. B. All Masters of Vessels are forbid to carry him off at their Peril.

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There is in the Goal of this City a certain Jane Ratcliffe, who is a Servant to one Thomas Indicutt, living near Mountholly, in East-Jersey; these are to desire her Master to come and take her away, or she will be sold for her Fees in two Weeks from the Date of this Paper. She has been committed ever since the Eleventh Day of December last.

John Mitchell, Goaler

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1789, *April* 7, 1763.

RUN away from Nathaniel Parker, at Trenton Ferry, a certain William McKabe, alias McKape, aged about 20 Years, near 5 Feet 10 Inches high, fresh Complexion, has three Hair Molds on his Face, one on each Cheek, and the other on one Side of his Chin: Had on when he went away, a light colour'd Sagathee Coat, a red Camblet Jacket, red Flannel under Jacket, Leather Breeches, white ribb'd Worsted Stockings, half worn Pumps, with Brass Buckles, and straight brown Hair. Whoever takes up and secures said Servant, and brings him to Trenton Ferry, shall have THREE POUNDS Reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by

April 4, 1763. NATHANIEL PARKER

—*The New York Gazette, April* 11, 1763.

Custom-House, Philadelphia, Entered In. Sloop Sally, William Pearne, from Piscataway. Sloop Abigail, Peter Groves, from Salem.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1062, *April* 14, 1763.

FALSTAFF,

COVERS this Season at Baskinridge, in Somerset County, in New-Jersey, at Ten Pounds Proc. each Mare. Enquire for John Harris, Groom.

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FIVE POUNDS REWARD :

New-Jersey, April 15, 1763.

RUN away on the 12th Instant, from Josiah Halstead, of Shrewsbury, in New-Jersey, a Servant Man, named Edward May, an English born, can neither read nor write, is about 5 Feet 4 Inches high, aged about 24 Years; a Bricklayer by Trade, and a very swift Workman; has dark Hair, and some Marks of the Small Pox in his Face, and a particular Roll in his Gait. Had on when he went away, a new grey Frize Coat, with Glass-top Buttons, and red Faces under them; a black Silk Jacket, and a black Manchester Velvet Breeches: He has both a white and a check Shirt with him: And has taken or stole a Saddle, and a sorrel Mare about 13 Hands and a half high, pretty low in Flesh. Any Person apprehending the said Servant, and securing him in any of his Majesty's Gaols, and gives Notice, so that he may be had again, shall have the above Reward, and all reasonable Charges, paid by the Subscriber,

JOSIAH HALSTEAD

***All Masters of Vessels and others, are forewarned carrying him off at their Peril.—*The New-York Gazette, April* 18, 1763.

Custom-House, Philadelphia, Entered In. Sloop Success, N. Fletcher, from Salem. Schooner Charming Molly, James Stillson from Piscataway.

Outwards. Sloop Abigail, Peter Groves, for Salem.

Cleared. Sloop Sally, William Pearne, to Piscataway. —*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1063, *April* 21, 1763.

NEW-YORK, April 14

Yesterday the Pitt Packet Boat, Capt. Goddard, sailed

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with the Mail for Falmouth, and about 3 o'Clock passed the Hook, when there was no inward bound Vessels in sight.

As THOMAS POWELL, of Burlington, Schoolmaster, hath been applied to sundry Times to take Girls to board, and hath hitherto declined it, because he thought it inconvenient to board a Number of each Sex in the same House; WILLIAM FENTHAM, Latin and French Master, in the same School, begs Leave to inform the Public, that Girls may be conveniently boarded, and taught Needle-work by his Wife, who has opened a School for that Purpose, and may have the Benefit of being instructed in English, Writing, Arithmetic and French, by

THOMAS POWELL and WILLIAM FENTHAM.

N. B. The Boarders will have an Opportunity of speaking the French Tongue in the House.

Philadelphia, April 21, 1763.

Whereas a Proposal is now on Foot, for settling a very extensive Colony upon the finest part of the OHIO,[1] and Application been also made, previous to the Peace, for that Purpose, it is necessary to acquaint the Public with the Proposals. As they are the most advantageous of the Kind ever known, and I may venture to say that ever will be: The Situation, Fertility of the Soil, Navigation, and innumerable other Advantages that attend this Colony, over and above any that can be mentioned in the American Empire, are Inducements sufficient for any sensible Men to settle there, without the least Hesitation; but as Mankind are fond of being secured in the real Enjoyment of something independent, it is proposed that every Family

[1] Three years later Governor William Franklin and others became interested in a similar scheme, which led to the formation of the "Ohio Company," with far-reaching results in the settlement of that region, and its influence on British politics. See N. J. Archives, X., 376-8, note.

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who becomes Proprietors and Settles, in this Colony, are to have 300 Acres of Land, to be granted by Patent, to them and their Heirs for ever: It is also proposed that 400000 Acres are to be sold to Gentlemen Proprietors, which will be granted in Patents, from One Thousand to Ten Thousand Acres each, these are proposed to be sold at the Rate of £50 per Thousand Acres, which will raise a Sum of £20000 which is to be employed in purchasing the Colony, Provisions, Cattle and farming Utensils &c. . . . .

The Name of the Colony is to be NEW WALES, in Honour of His Royal Highness the Prince of WALES, who is to be sole Proprietor of the Colony. . . . .

The Number of Families proposed to form the first Settlement are 4000. . . . .

Those who are determined to embrace this Opportunity, are desired to send their Names to the undermentioned Persons in the different Provinces, within the Time mentioned [the last of May]

Pennsylvania, (to MR. WILLIAM DUNLAP, in Philadelphia
(to MATTHIAS SLOUGH, Esq; in Lancaster.

Boston Government, and Governments to the Eastward, to Colonel WILLIAM GRIDLEY

New-Jersey (Eastern Division, to Mr. Hude, at New Brunswick
(Western Division, to John Lawrence, Esq; in Burlington. . . . .

T. WEBB, Lieut. of the 48th Regiment, one of the Proposalists.

N. B. All Persons are desired to pay Postage that send Letters to any of the above Gentlemen, or they will not be regarded.

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All Persons indebted to the Estate of James Bell, late of Trenton, in New-Jersey, deceased, either by Bond, Bill or Book Debt, are desired to make speedy Payment: And those who have any Demands against said Estate, are desired to bring in their Accounts, that they may be adjusted; by ELIZABETH BELL, ALEXANDER CHAMBERS, JOHN CHAMBERS, Execut.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1791, *April* 21, 1763.

To be Sold at Public Vendue,

On Tuesday the 24th Day of May next, at Two o'Clock in the Afternoon of the same Day,

A Certain Lot of Land lying at Second River, containing 17 Acres, whereon is a new Stone Dwelling-House two Stories high, a good Barn and Orchard, where may be cut at least four Tuns of Clover Hay in a Season. The Place is pleasantly situated near the River. Any Person inclining to purchase before the Day of Sale, may apply to the Executors of Mr. Adoniah Schuyler, deceased, who will give an indisputable Title for the same.

GERTRUDE SCHUYLER

—*The New York Gazette, April* 25, 1763.

Custom-House, Philadelphia, Entered In. Schooner Dreadnaught, John Pearce, from Salem. Schooner Saunders, Thomas Staniford, from Salem.

WHEREAS an Advertisement signed by me, containing Proposals for a Settlement on the Ohio, was inserted in the Pennsylvania Gazette, of the 21st of April inst. And Whereas it is judged necessary I should desist entirely in the Prosecution thereof, until His Majesty's Pleasure is known concerning the Lands in Question: I therefore think proper to recal my said Proposals, and to acquaint

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those Persons that might have been desirous of becoming Settlers, that it will be unnecessary for them to apply to me, unless I shall hereafter be enabled, by Authority, to assure them of Success.

T. WEBB, Lieut. of the 48th Regiment.[1]

Burlington, March 24, 1763.

WHEREAS 7 New-York Lottery Tickets were inclosed in a Letter, directed to a Person at Burlington, and entrusted to the Care of John Simmonds, was by Accident left at South River; and said Letter having been since received by the Person to whom it was directed, and the Tickets either dropt or taken out, this is to inform any Person who may have found said Tickets, that the Payment of any Prizes they may draw is stopt at New York; and that if they will send them to the House of the Subscriber, they shall be paid One Dollar for their Trouble, by

Lambert Barnes.

N. B. The Numbers of the Tickets are 5433, 5434, 5435, 5436, 5437, 5438 and 5439—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1792, *April* 28, 1763.

To be sold at publick Vendue, on Wednesday, the first Day of June next, on the Premises, or at private Sale before, situated in the County of Hunterdon, on Lamenton River, in New Jersey, A good new Forge or Finery,[2] with three Pair of Bellows, and three Fire-places, and all the Utensils belonging to it, with a good Coal-house, and Out-houses for Forge-men to live in; together with a good Farm, containing 335 Acres of Land, about 100 whereof

[1] Thomas Webb was commissioned Quartermaster of the 48th Regiment, Oct. 29, 1754, and Lieutenant, Nov. 9, 1755.

[2] Perhaps the Hackelbarney Forge, near the Falls of Lamington. See N. J. Hist. Soc. Proceedings, 2d Series, V., 79.

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is cleared; 15 Acres of good Meadow, and as much more may be made with little Trouble, the rest good Wood-Land; the Farm is situated adjoining the Forge, and has on it a convenient Dwelling-house, with three Fire-places, and a fine Spring of Water near the Door, and a young Orchard of 180 Apple Trees, many whereof are grafted with the best of Fruit. Any Person or Persons inclining to purchase the Forge only, with the conveniences thereunto belonging, may have it, with about fifty Acres of good Pasture and Meadow Ground, as there is a Prospect of getting Timber or Wood Land at a reasonable Rate, at a small Distance from the Forge. Whoever has a Mind to purchase, may apply to Christopher Beekman, living on the Premises, who will agree on reasonable Terms, and will give an indisputable Title for the same.

Thirty Dollars Reward.

Strayed or stolen from the Subscriber, living in Lebanon Township, Hunterdon County, and Province of West-New-Jersey, Two black Mares (one of them in April 1761) about 5 Years old and about 14 Hands high, very well made, branded I L on the near Shoulder and Buttock, with some white Hairs in her Forehead, a natural Trotter, short dock'd, with a Switch Tail, a short Head, full ey'd, and round bodied, and very handsome from the Ears to the Heels. The other Mare two Years old, a natural Pacer, and goes well, short dock'd, with a Switch Tail, and a small Star under her Fore-top. She went away in April 1762. Whoever brings the first Mare to the Subscriber, shall have Ten Dollars Reward, and all reasonable Charges and if the Thief be secured, and brought to Justice, shall have Twenty Dollars; and for the other Mare, if brought to the Subscriber, Six Dollars;

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and if stolen, and the Thief secured, shall have Ten Dollars, paid by me.

WILLIAM HAZLIT.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1792, *April* 28, 1763.

Boston, April 25. We hear that Governor Hardy, (late of New-Jersey) is appointed Governor of Halifax.[1]

TO BE SOLD,

A Very fine and commodious Farm or Plantation, situate, lying and being at Hackensack, in the County of Bergen, and Province of New-Jersey; which said Farm has a very pleasant Situation, in a close settled Neighbourhood, within two Miles of three Churches, and near a Grist-Mill; Boats, and other larger Sloops passes daily up and down the Hackensack River, to and from New-York, and other Parts, within View from the House; and a Publick High-Way runs along one Side of said Farm, and another near along the End, and contains about 150 Acres, of which about 80 Acres is cleared, and neatly divided into Tillage, Meadow, and Pasture, and well watered, together with a good Stone Dwelling House, Farmer's Barn, and a large prime bearing Orchard on the same of about 120 Apple Trees of the very best Fruit, and several other Fruit Trees. Whoever is inclined to purchase the same, or any Part thereof, in small Lots, being very convenient for Tradesmen or Merchants, may apply either by Writing or personal, for further particulars to ISAAC VROOMAN, Esq; at Schenectady, who will give an indisputable Title for the same.

Hackensack, April 23, 1763.

[1] This was incorrect. Gov. Hardy sailed from New York in September, 1763. On November 12, 1764, he was appointed Consul at Cadiz and Port St. Mary.

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TO be Sold by the Subscriber, a Lot of Land containing Six Acres, one Half good fresh Meadow, with a Dwelling House and Barn, with a Chair House, and 43 small Apple Trees, situated in Middletown, near Mount-Pleasant, on the main Country Road that leads to Middletown Point Landing about one Mile, all in good Fence. Whoever inclines to Purchase, may apply to the Subscriber; who will give an indisputable Title for the same.

DUNCAN ROBERTSON

A Plantation of 100 Acres, situate in Middletown, 20 of which is good Meadow. Has on it, a good Dwelling House (38 by 28) of One and an Half Storie; an Orchard of about 80 Apple and Peach Trees, and the whole is well water'd and timber'd. For Particulars enquire of John Van Brackle, in Freehold, who will give an indisputable Title to the same.—*The New York Gazette, May* 2, 1763.

BOSTON, *April* 25.

We hear that his Excellency Governor Ellis of Halifax is appointed Governor of Quebec; and that Governor Hardy, (late of New-Jersey) is appointed Governor of Halifax.

Custom-House, Philadelphia, Cleared. Sloop Joanna, William Bartlett, to Salem.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1065, *May* 5, 1763.

Philadelphia, May 5, 1763.

To be sold by public Vendue, at the London Coffee-House, on the 14th Inst. at 4 o'Clock in the Afternoon, two Thirds of 52 Acres of Land, and the Improvement thereon; containing a Forge, with three Fire-places and

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Bellows, in good Repair, a good Stone House, two Stories high, with two Rooms on each Floor; likewise a good Saw-mill, almost new; with a Log Dwelling-house, Coal-house, and Stables, situated in West Jersey, about a Mile from the River Delaware, on a fine Stream of Water, that never fails, and convenient for Pig Iron, being within 4 Miles of Durham Furnace. There will likewise be sold, at the same Time and Place, 500 Acres of Land, adjoining the above, bounded by the River Delaware, chiefly Woodland, well timbered, and very good Land for Wheat, or other Grain. The Title good. Terms of Payment will be made known at the Place of Sale, by

ABRAM EVANS.

WHEREAS Hannah, the Wife of Samuel Tue, hath eloped from her said Husband, and carried off several of his Effects; this is to forewarn all Persons not to trust her upon any Account whatsoever, for he will pay no Debts of her contracting from the Date hereof. Witness my Hand

his
Samuel x Tue
Mark

Waterford Township,
Gloucester County, May 3, 1763

New-Hanover Township, Burlington County, May 2, 1763.

Whereas Michael Howard (then of the Township of Springfield) did, in the Year 1760, in a clandestine and fraudulent Manner, obtain a Lease from me the Subscriber, for a certain Tract of Land, in the Township of Northampton, during my Life-time: And whereas, by the said Howard's not fulfilling his Agreement for which he obtained the said Lease, it became void in the same

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Year, and the said Howard has since refused to deliver up the said Lease to me; for which Reason I apprehend he intends to endeavour to come upon my Executors, after my Decease, for the Rent of the same, which being so far contrary to my Agreement, that I hereby forewarn all Persons from taking an Assignment of said Lease, as, while I am living, I can prove the same to be void, and will use all Mean in Justice, against his recovering any Part of said Rent.

Elizabeth Robbins.

April 20, 1763.

LAST *Night* was stolen out of Andrain Bennet's Stable, near Cranberry Mills, in Middlesex County, New Jersey, a dark brown Mare, branded with an O on the near Shoulder, has a Star in her Forehead; two Saddle Spots on her Back, with a short bob Tail, a natural Trotter, and goes a good hand-gallop. Whoever takes up the said Mare, so that her Owner may have her again, shall have Three Pounds Reward, paid by me

Andrain Bennet

N. B. Was left in said Stable, the same Night, an old Horse, of a yellow dun Colour, low in Flesh, about 14 Hands high, and branded with an O on the near Buttock.

EIGHT DOLLARS Reward.

Run away from the Subscriber, living in Salem County, West Jersey, on the 23d of August 1756, a Servant Man, named Joseph David, born in Germany, a Jew by Profession, is now about 30 Years of Age, about five Feet, three Inches high, well set, of a dark Complexion, and has three Scars on his Head. He was at Philadelphia in July 1761, and said he had been inlisted in the Royal American Regiment, but had got his Discharge, and at that Time kept

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a Shop of Goods in Albany; it is likely he follows Peddling, as he had a great Desire to follow that Calling, and often talked about it. Whoever takes up said Servant, and secures him in any Goal, so as his Master may have him again, or brings him Home, shall have the above Reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by

Thomas Mayhew.

N. B. It is likely he will deny his being a Servant, and use many Arguments to support it, being an artful Fellow. —*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1793, *May* 5, 1763.

To be Lett

The House and Lot in Woodbridge, where the Widow Heard now lives, together with the Stables and Orchard, and a Piece of Meadow. It is a very suitable Place for a private Gentleman, Merchant, or Tavern Keeper; a Tavern has been kept there for many Years past.

Also to be sold at public Vendue, on Monday, the Fourth Day of April next, Cattle, Horses, Farmer's Utensils; a Riding Chair and sundry Sorts of Houshold Goods.

There are likewise to be disposed of at private Sale, sundry valuable Negroes, by

Ann Heard.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1793, *May* 5, 1763.

New-York Light House and Publick Lottery,

The Managers having some Tickets left on Hand, have postponed the Drawing thereof until Tuesday the 14th of June next. . . . .

Elizabeth-Town, May 4, 1763.

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RUN away from Samuel Meeker, a Negro Man, Sampson, about 6 Feet 4 Inches, aged 24 Years, speaks good English: Had on when he went away two dark colour'd homespun Jackets, Leather Breeches, brown Stockings. Whoever takes up and secures said Negro, so that his Master may have him again, shall receive *Twenty Shillings* Reward, and all reasonable Charges paid by

SAMUEL MEEKER.

To be Sold at Publick Vendue on the Sixteenth Day of June next between the Hours of One and Five in the Afternoon,

A Very good Farm and Dwelling-House, with the Mills, Bolting House, Bake House, and Store House, at Second River, adjoining Mr. Courtlandt's Mills: The Farm consists of about 160 Acres of Land, whereof about 100 Acres are clear'd, the Remainder is good Wood Land: On it is a good Stone Dwelling House 45 Feet long, and 24 Feet wide, having three Rooms on a Floor, a good Cellar, and Cellar Kitchen under it, and a good Barn, Garden, and Well near it. Opposite the House stands the Mill on Second River, a most plentiful Stream in the driest Season: It is two Stories high, 63 Feet long, and 21 broad, and has three Pair of Stones in fine Order: The Bolting House adjoins it, which is two Stories high, 42 Feet long, and 21 Feet broad; has five good Bolts, is furnished with every Thing necessary, and convenient for the Bolting Business, and every Operation is carried on by Water; near it is an excellent Stone Bake-House two Stories high, 32 Feet long, and 26 Feet broad, which has two very fine Ovens in it. The Stone House stands on the Bank of Pasaick River, about a Quarter of a Mile from the Mills, it is two Stories and a Half high, 56 Feet long, and 28 wide, at its Door a large Boat may load and un-

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load. No Mill in the Province is better situated, nor has greater Conveniences for the Bolting and Baking Business than the above: And as its Distance from the City of New-York is only about Ten Miles by Land, or Thirty by Water, it can never want Employment.—*The New York Gazette, May* 9, 1763.

NEW-YORK, *May* 9.

We hear that on Monday Night last, Mr. . . . . of New-Jersey, who had inadvertently discovered to a mixt Company of Strangers, that he had a considerable sum of money about him, was soon after set upon in the Street by several Men, who, as he made a vigorous Resistance, bruised and wounded him in a cruel Manner, and then robb'd him of upwards of 500 l. (which he had that Day taken up on Interest, to pay a Debt for which he was Security) after which, on some Peoples coming to his Assistance, the Villains went off, leaving him an old Hat, instead of his own, which they took away; and on Tuesday, a Person lately discharged from Goal in this City, was discovered with the said Hat, which having some Blood on it, and other Causes of Suspicion appearing against him, he was secured, and known by the Person he had robbed; and we hear, is with two or three of his Accomplices now in Goal.

Custom-House, Philadelphia, Entered In. Sloop Peggy, William Budden, from Salem on Delaware.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1066, *May* 12, 1763.

To be LETT, and may be entered on To-morrow, a valuable Plantation, opposite, and within three Miles of Philadelphia, in the Jerseys. There is on said Place a good Dwelling-house, Barn and Stables, a good bearing Or-

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chard, now all in Bloom, a Quantity of Low-land Meadow, which now promises a plentiful Crop; and Upland enough cleared, fit for Pasturing, or other Uses; the whole in extraordinary good Fence. Any Person inclining to rent the same, may apply to the Subscriber, living at the Corner of Arch and Second Streets, and nearly opposite to the Sign of the George, in Second-street, Philadelphia.

JAMES BAIRD.

N. B. The Subscriber, as usual, carries on the Business of Dying, Cleaning, and Restoring the Colours of all Manner of Woollens, Silks and Cottons, damaged at Sea, or otherwise, and dry and wet scowers Mens and Womens made up Clothes.

TWENTY-FIVE POUNDS *Reward.*

On Monday, the 2d of May instant, between the Hours of 12 and 1 o'Clock at Night, was assaulted in New-York, and robbed of a considerable Sum of Money, to the Amount of Four Hundred and Sixty Pounds, New York Currency (the greatest Part of said Money was in Jersey Bills), also a Silver Watch, with a Brass Chain, the Key hanging a little lower than the Seal. . . . The Persons who are suspected to have committed said Robbery are, Lawrence Poor, William Farril, and John Donwith, all three Taylors. . . . Said Poor is about five Feet ten Inches high, of a brown Complexion, sandy coloured Hair, with a long Nose, and a Rocking in his Walk, about 35 Years of Age, wearing a blue Coat, Vest and Breeches, when he left New York, but may have changed them. Farril is a short well built Person, wears a Crimson Coat, blue Vest, and light grey Breeches, about 31 Years of Age. Donwith is a short well built Person, wears a dark grey Coat, about 25 Years of Age. . . . They were seen in Philadelphia (by Information) the 6th or 7th Instant.

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Whoever takes up said Persons, especially Lawrence Poor, and commits him to any of his Majesty's Goals, so that he or they may be brought to Justice, giving Notice to the Subscriber, living in Elizabeth-Town, East Jersey, shall have Twenty-five Pounds Reward, if taken with the Money, or Ten Pounds if otherwise. Given under my Hand, this Ninth Day of May, 1763.

JAMES CARTER

N. B. All Masters of Vessels are forbid to carry them off.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1794, *May* 12, 1763.

THE Publick is desired to NOTICE, That ☞ Lord THOMAS STORY came to Town a few Days ago from Philadelphia, whither he lately return'd from some more successful Exploits against his Majesty's Enemies, in a six Month's Cruize, than either Don Quixot, or his Man Sanco Pancha, met with in their Peregrination of Chivalry for Years put together, having had his Pockets well lined, and his Skin not so much as scarified. My Lord desires it may be made known, To all whom it may concern, That he attends his old Employ of Amboy Stage; and that all Ladies and Gentlemen desirous of Freight or Passage in his SHIP, lying at Whitehall, will please to enquire for him on board, or at the Fighting Cocks at Whitehall Slip.—*The New York Gazette, May* 16, 1763.

BURLINGTON, April 27.

A Deputation from the Presbyterian Ministers, in the Province of *New-Jersey* waited on his Excellency Governor *Franklin,* and presented the following Address, viz.

To his Excellency WILLIAM FRANKLIN, Esq; Capt. General, and Governor in Chief, in, and over his Majesty's Province of *New-Jersey,* and Territories thereon Depending in *America,* Chancellor, and Vice-Admiral of the same.

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The Humble Address of the Presbyterian Ministers of the said Province.

May it Please Your Excellency.

We his Majesty's Most Dutiful and Loyal Subjects, the Presbyterian Ministers of the Province of New-Jersey, beg Leave, in the most cordial Manner, to Congratulate your Excellency, on the careful Superintendance of Divine Providence, in returning you safe, thro' the Perils of the Sea, to your native Land; and particularly, on your Accession to the Government of this Province. And we do this with the greater Pleasure, in that, from our Persuasion of the Generosity of your Excellency's Sentiments, we can securely confide in your Readiness to maintain the Rights and Privileges of our Body inviolate.

As true Religion, a just Reverence for the Divine Majesty, not only tends to future Blessedness, but inspires a Dutiful Subjection to the Powers which he has ordained, and bears the most favourable Aspect on the Happiness and Prosperity of the Public; we cannot doubt but your Excellency, after the great Example of your royal constituent, will tenderly regard its Interests, and countenance the honest Promoters of so salutary a System.

And as a Behaviour becoming the sacred Character we sustain, is what alone can entitle us to your Excellency's protection, and procure your Approbation; we shall make it our main Business to propagate genuine Christianity, the common Religion of sound Protestants; and by inculcating on his Majesty's Subjects, under our care, the Necessity of Obedience to just Authority, shall do what in us lies, to make your Excellency's Administration easy and prosperous.

That your Excellency may long continue in your exalted Station among us, happy in every Relation, and a

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public Blessing to the Province over which you preside, is, and shall be our daily and fervent Prayer,

Presented

In behalf of the Body
by, Sir,
Your Excellency's
Most obedient
and Humble Servants
SAMUEL FINLEY
WILLIAM KIRKPATRICK.

To which his Excellency was pleased to return the following ANSWER.

Gentlemen,

'The Congratulations of so loyal and valuable Members 'of the Community as are the Presbyterian Ministers of 'this Province cannot but be very acceptable to me.

'I heartily thank you for this Mark of your Respect, 'and the favourable Sentiments you are pleased to express 'in my Behalf: And I assure you that it shall be my con-'stant Endeavours so far to imitate the great Example of 'my royal Master, as not to omit any Opportunity of pro-'moting the general Interests of Religion, or of counte-'nancing those of your particular Profession.'

TO BE SOLD BY

JOHN ISAAC REDWAR,

At his store on Hamilton's Wharff, (next door to Mr. Gibson's.)

CHOICE good Barbados Rum, and Sugar. Said Redwar has also for sale on the Jersey's, at the upper Ferry House, four very good Negroes, viz. two young Men and two Girls; where he will be glad to treat with any Gentlemen for them.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1067, *May* 19, 1763.

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LIST of LETTERS at the *Post-Office* in Philadelphia.

Messieurs Allen and Dennis, Somerset County.

Ezra Black, Bordentown. Thomas Chadock, Bordentown.

Francis Dudley, New-Jersey, John Evan, New-Jersey.

Joseph Goursy, Bordentown. Benjamin Springer, Burlington County. Robert Wild, West Jersey.

Run away, on the 9th of this Instant May, from the Subscriber, living in Springfield in the County of Burlington, a Dutch Servant Lad, named Christian Leer, about 19 Years of Age, and of a dark Complexion, with black curled Hair, and a sliving down-look: Had on, when he went away, an old Soldier's Hat without Lining or Loops, a brown coating Jacket, lined with white Flannel, an Ozen brigs Shirt, Leather Breeches, old Shoes with Steel Buckles, and Yarn Stockings; took with him a Pair of Ozenbrigs Trowsers and a new Ozenbrigs Frock. Whoever takes up the said Servant, and secures him in any Goal, so as the Subscriber may have him again, shall have Forty Shillings Reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by WILLIAM FLENTHAM.

Salem County, May 16, 1763.

To be sold by public Vendue, on Monday, the 30th Day of this Instant, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, at the late Dwelling house of Ranier Vanhist, Esq; deceased, a large Assortment of Household Furniture; also Horses, Cattle, Sheep, Swine and sundry Implements of Husbandry, such as Plows, Harrows, Carts and Sleds, and many other Things too tedious to mention. Attendance will be given at the Time and Place of Sale, where the Conditions will be made known, by THOMAS CASH, and JOSEPH SINKLER, Executors

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N. B. All Persons indebted to the Estate of the above-mentioned Ranier Vanhist, Esq; are desired to make speedy Payment; and those who have any Demands against the said Estate to bring in their Accounts, that they may be adjusted and paid by the above Executors.

Shrewsbury, East New-Jersey, April, 1763.

FIVE POUNDS Reward

Run away on the 12th Inst. A Servant Man, named Edward May, an Englishman born, can neither read nor write, about 5 Feet 4 Inches high, a Bricklayer by Trade, and is a very swift Workman, has dark Hair, some Marks of the Small-pox in his Face, and has a particular Roll in his Walk: Had on when he went away, A grey Frize Coat, with Glass top'd Buttons and Kings Faces under them, a black Silk Jacket, black Manchester Velvet Breeches, and a checked Shirt. Whoever will secure said Servant, so that his Master may have him again, shall have the above Reward, and all Reasonable Charges, paid by

JOSIAH HALSTEAD.

N. B. It is supposed that he went off with one Samuel Leonard, late of the same Place, who supplies the said Servant with Money.

To be sold by publick Vendue, by the Executors of George Eyre, deceased, on Monday, the 30th of May instant, a very valuable Tract of Land, containing about 943 Acres, and to be laid out in Lots of about 200 Acres each, situate in the Township of Roxbury, in Morris County, at a Place called the Little Pond, being the Head of the South Branch of the Rariton River. Attendance will be given on said Day, by SAMUEL EYRE, MANUEL EYRE, and JEHU EYRE, Executors

N. B. Any Person or Persons inclining to purchase

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the whole Tract by private Sale before said Day, by applying to the Executors, or either of them, Samuel Eyre, at Burlington, or Manuel and Jehu Eyre, at Kensington, near Philadelphia, may know the Terms.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1795, *May* 19, 1763.

Perth-Amboy, May 16, 1763. The General Assembly of New-Jersey are to meet at Amboy, on Wednesday the 25th inst. for the Dispatch of Business, circular Letters being dispatched to give Notice to the Members of the Legislature.

The Managers
Of
The New-York Light House and
Publick Lottery,

HEREBY inform the Publick, that the Drawing thereof will begin, at farthest, on the 14th of June next, Mr. SMITH, one of the Managers, having already disposed of his Tickets, and Mr. LOTT having but a few left.

TO be SOLD in Bordentown, West New-Jersey, the House and Land of the late Henry Laurence, it's now in the Tenure of Talman Smith. For Particulars, enquire of

New-York, May 19, 1763. CORNELIUS FISHER

—*The New York Gazette, May* 23, 1763.

To be SOLD by JOHN ISAAC REDWAR, at his Store, on Hamilton's Wharff (next Door to Mr. Gibson's) Choice good Barbados Rum and Sugar. Said REDWAR has also for Sale, in the Jerseys, at the Upper Ferry House, Four very good NEGROES, viz. Two young Men, and two Girls; where he will be glad to treat with any Gentlemen for

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them.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1796, *May* 26, 1763.

To be Sold by Public Vendue,
On Wednesday the 15th Day of June next,

A Plantation which lately belonged to Andrew Van Horne deceased, in Piscataway, in the County of Middlesex, and Province of East New-Jersey, now in the Possession of John Martin, containing 250 Acres of Upland, and 50 Acres of good fresh Meadow, lying convenient for banking or raising, as it is adjoining on Raritan River, and also a Lot of about 5 or 6 Acres of Salt Meadow, lying on the said River, very convenient for rafting, within one Mile of said Plantation, with two good Dwelling Houses on said Place, a good new Barn, Stable, and Chair House, with other Outhouses: As also a very good Grist-Mill in very good Order, she is over-shot, and double geer'd, with a new Ceder Trough, standing on a very good Stream, about 200 Yards distant from said River, the Tide ebbing and flowing to the Mill-House, with 4 or 5 Foot Water at common Tides: There is also a good Wharf and Storehouse about 250 Yards distant from said Mill, and about 100 Yards from one of the Dwelling-Houses, with a very good Road from each: The said Premises laying within Half a Mile of the Country Road, within two Miles of New-Brunswick either by Land or Water; there is two good bearing Orchards on the said Place of very good Fruit, a great Part Grafts: The said Plantation is very well water'd and timber'd, there being not one Field or Pasture without a living Spring in them: The whole Place being very conveniently situated either for Storekeeping, or any other publick Business, either by Land or Water. And also a Lot of good timber'd Land, laying on the main Road that leads from New-Brunswick to Amboy, within three Miles of the aforesaid

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Place, and within one Mile and a half of a publick Landing, call'd The Red Root; containing 30 Acres. Also a Tract of Land lying in Tappan, in the County of Orange, in the Province of New-York, containing 800 Acres, bounded on the South by Garret Blawfield, on the North by the Rev. Mr. Ogilvie's, and East and West by Mr. M'Evers's Land: The Vendue to be held on the Premises the 30th Day of June next, where the Conditions of Sale will be made known. There will also be sold at the first mentioned Vendue, Cattle, Horses, Hogs, and sundry Utensils. There is to be Sold at private Sale, Negro Men and Women and Boys at 12 and 14 Years of Age, this Country born, well disciplin'd.

N. B. All Persons that are indebted to the said Estate, are desir'd to make speedy Payment. And all that have any Demands on said Estate, to bring their Accounts that they may be settled by

JOHN MARTIN

WHEREAS there was lost last Fall at the Watering place, opposite Watson's Ferry, three ships Anchors, viz. One belonging to his Majesty's Ship Intrepid, John Hale, Esq; Commander, one belonging to the Herculus Transport, Captain Jump, one to the Amity's Assistance, Captain Jumyn.

Whoever takes them up, with what Cables remaining, and brings them to me, shall have one third of their Value, for the Salvage, paid by

David Pryce, Agent to the Transports.

—*The New York Gazette, May* 30, 1763.

The PUBLIC *is hereby informed,*

That any Number of Gentlemen or Ladies, not exceeding five, may have a genteel covered light Waggon (with

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Sliders to keep out the Weather, and hangs on Leather Braces, which makes it easy to the Riders as any four Wheel Carriage,) to convey them from Bordentown to Shrewsbury, upon every Tuesday from the Date hereof, to the last Tuesday in October, for Forty Shillings each Run down. Where constant Attendance will be given by Benjamin Cook. June 1, 1763.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1797, *June* 2, 1763.

To be SOLD *or* LETT,

On the most reasonable Terms in the County of Morris, in the Eastern Division of the Province of New-Jersey,

A GOOD two Story House, with 4 Rooms on a Floor, 50 Feet long by 30, a good Kitchen and Cellar; the House is just finished off in a genteel Manner, stands near the Court-house, in a small Town, of near 60 Houses, most of which have been built within these three Years past; about a Quarter of an Acre of Land with the House; also a Lot of 13 Acres, divided from it only by a Road; likewise a Tract of 80 Acres, lying about a Mile from said House, 40 Acres of which is good drained Meadow, now having a good Crop of English and Timothy on it, the rest Wood Land; also a Tract of 450 Acres of good Marsh, lately drained, and most of it now fit to plough, and will bring good Corn, Oats, Flax, Hemp, or any Sort of Grass. Any Person that inclines to purchase or rent any of the above Premises, may know the Terms, by applying to JOHN BUDD, at Salem, who can give an indisputable Title to all the aforesaid Lands, except the 13 Acre Lot, which he chooses to rent.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1798, *June* 9, 1763.

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June 6. 1763.

New York Light-House, and Public
LOTTERY,

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Numbers and Blanks are rolling up, and will be put into the Boxes on Saturday the Eleventh, and the Drawing will certainly begin on Tuesday the Fourteenth Instant, in the City Hall, under the Inspection of the Members of the Corporation.

Note, A few of the Tickets of the above Lottery, to be disposed of by Gerard Banker, in Broad-street, next Door to Lord Stirling's.—*The New York Gazette, June* 6, 1763.

Perth-Amboy, June 9. JOHN STEVENS, Esq; being appointed by his Majesty one of the Council for the Province of New-Jersey, has accordingly taken his Seat in Council, and a Writ is issued for electing a Representative in his Room, for the City of Perth-Amboy.

New-York, June 13. The City-Hall being under Repair, it is impossible to draw the Lottery[1] there. The Managers do therefore give Notice to the PUBLICK, That the drawing thereof will begin To-Morrow, in Mr. BURNS's Long-Room, at the Province Arms.

TO be sold by THOMAS WARNE, 87 Acres of Land, whereof three Acres is Salt Meadow, and four Acres fresh, and about 30 Acres cleared, and the rest Wood Land, with a very large Swamp fit for Meadow, if clear'd: The said Place lies in the County of Middlesex, on the great Road that leads from Amboy to Freehold Court-House; its within two Miles of the Landing, and seven of Amboy: There is on it a very good House and Office Houses, all almost new, also a large Orchard. Any

[1] For the New York Light House, at Sandy Hook.

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Person inclining to treat for the same, may apply to said Thomas Warne, living on the Premises, who will shew the Land and Woods, and will deal upon easy Terms.

June 8, 1762. [3.]

ALL Persons having Demands on the Estate of Mr. Adoniah Schuyler, deceas'd, are desired to send in their Accounts without Delay. And those indebted to said Estate, are requested to pay the same forthwith.

JOHN SCHUYLER, Executor.
GERTRUDE SCHUYLER, Executrix.

Second-River, June 4, 1763.

N. B. Letters and Accounts will be received and forwarded by John Schuyler, jun. at Mr. Henry Carmen's, in Wynkoop-Street, New-York.—*The New York Gazette, June* 13, 1763.

Custom-House, Philadelphia, Outwards. Sloop Joanna, William Bartlet, for Salem.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1071, *June* 16, 1763.

PERTH-AMBOY, June 6, 1763.

The General Assembly of this Province met here the 25th of last Month, and next Day His Excellency WILLIAM FRANKLIN, Esq; our Governor, made the following SPEECH to the Council and Assembly, viz.

Gentlemen of the COUNCIL, and Gentlemen of the GENERAL ASSEMBLY;

When it pleased His Majesty graciously to honor me with his Commission for this Government, I considered it as a particular Felicity to be placed in that Station among a People that I knew, and whose general Character is so truly estimable.

Not having received any Commands from the King or

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His Ministers, which required your immediate Consideration, I postponed the Pleasure of meeting you in your Legislative Capacity, till a Time, that from the best Information I could procure, was least likely to interfere with your private Affairs.

Two Events have lately occurred, of great Import to the Welfare of the British Nation, on which you have my most sincere and hearty Congratulations. . . .

. . . The auspicious Birth of a Prince, on a Day ever sacred to Liberty, and the Protestant Cause, cannot but diffuse Joy throughout the King's Dominions, as it gives us the pleasing Prospect of a Continuation to our Posterity, of those inestimable Blessings of civil and religious Liberty, which we have enjoyed without Interruption, under the present Royal Family. . . .

. . . The Termination of a long and Burthensome War, by the late Definitive Treaty, is an Event as happy as it is glorious. A Peace is obtained for us by the Success of His Majesty's Arms, and the Wisdom and Firmness of His Councils, that cannot be parallelled for solid national Advantage, by any recorded in the British Annals, if in those of any other Nation: For indeed how rarely does it happen, that those Powers who have been long engaged in War, find themselves ultimately benefited by it ? Who of all the Princes of Europe, concerned in the late War, in which many of them had almost exhausted their last Resources, has acquired any Addition of Territory, or any Compensation for Losses sustained, save only our most illustrious Sovereign ? As in every Quarter of the Globe he was victorious; so in every Quarter he has retained some important Advantage, which the Nation was not in Possession of before. But in this Part of the World, how great and glorious are our national Acquisitions ! Instead of confining us to a narrow Seacoast,

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which the French vainly attempted ever before the War, we see that powerful Nation not only dispossessed of their Encroachments, but of the very Country from whence they encroached: A Country of immense Extent, and which, in our Possession, not only gives effectual Security to these Colonies, but must in a short Time occasion a vast Increase of the Commerce and Power of the British Empire. The steady Conduct of this Province during the Course of the War, and its constant Readiness in complying chearfully, according to its Abilities, with every Requisition of the Crown, for promoting the common Service, must now afford you great Satisfaction in the Reflection, and will ever be remembered highly to your Honour.

Gentlemen of the GENERAL ASSEMBLY;

The Act for the Support of Government being expired, you will of Course take that Matter into Consideration. In the doing of which, I flatter myself, that you will let the Royal Instruction my Predecessors have so often recommended to you on this Head, and which is entered on your Journals, have its proper Weight. And I have not the least Doubt, but that you will likewise do therein what Justice shall appear to you to require, and what is becoming the Honour of the Province you represent.

As you reside in different Parts of the Country, you have the best Opportunities of being acquainted with its present Circumstances and Occasions. If any new Laws, or Amendments of old Ones, appear to you to be necessary, you may be assured of my ready Concurrence in every Thing consistent with my Duty to the Crown, which I can never depart from, as I am persuaded you would not wish to deviate from yours; since you must be convinced, that one of the surest Means of promoting the Prosperity and Happiness of the People in any Colony, is to obtain and secure, by a truly dutiful Behaviour the Favour of

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their Sovereign, from whom they derive Protection in the Enjoyment of their Liberties, Properties, Religion, and every Thing that is valuable.

Gentlemen of the COUNCIL, and Gentlemen of the GENERAL ASSEMBLY;

Let me recommend it to you, now the publick Tranquility is happily re-established to pay an earnest Attention to the Arts of Peace. There are probably some Kinds of valuable Produce, hitherto, but slightly, if at all, attempted, that might, with proper Encouragement, be raised in this Province, and tend much to the Advantage of the Inhabitants. Some Improvement might no Doubt be likewise made in the Navigation of Creeks and Rivers and in the publick Roads. By turning your Thoughts to these Matters, it may be reasonably expected, that many Things will occur, which, if carried into Execution, would prove greatly beneficial not only to the Province, but to the Mother Country.

The Assemblies of this Province have of late Years so distinguished themselves for their general Unanimity, that it seems unnecessary to recommend it to them in their future Proceedings. I shall only observe, that its good Effects have been conspicuous and evident to all, and therefore I hope it will always continue.

As to myself I am fully sensible, it is not what is promised, but what is done, in any Administration, that must finally settle its Character. I shall not therefore begin mine among you by making great Professions: But I hope, in the Course of it, to demonstrate, by Actions, that I think the most effectual Means of approving myself a faithful Servant to my Royal Master is to promote the true Interests of the Province, over which he has done me the Honour to place me, and to increase, by every Means

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in my Power, the general Welfare and Happiness of its People.

Perth-Amboy, May 26, 1763.

To His Excellency

William Franklin, Esq;

Captain General, Governor and Commander in Chief, in and over the Province of New-Jersey, and Vice-Admiral in the same &c.

The humble Address of His Majesty's Council of the Province of New-Jersey.

We His Majesty's Council for the Province of New-Jersey, congratulate your Excellency on your Appointment to the Government of this Province, and on your safe Arrival in it.

The Knowledge your Excellency has of the People of this Province, renders it needless in us to give you any Assurances of our Hopes of your Happiness in your Government: It is our Inclination, as well as our Duty, to render your Situation here agreeable to yourself, and your Administration useful to the Publick.

We most chearfully join in the general Joy on the Birth of the Prince of Wales, who we hope will inherit the Virtues, and live to enjoy the Crown, of his Ancestors.

The Termination of a long and expensive War, by a Peace, that will ever be glorious in the British Annals, cannot but excite our sincere Veneration for the Wisdom of His Majesty's Councils, as well as our utmost Gratitude to Divine Providence, for so happily restoring Peace and Tranquility to the whole Christian World.

By Order of the Council

Perth-Amboy, June 3 1763. Robert H. Morris.

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To which His EXCELLENCY was pleased to make the following ANSWER

Gentlemen of the COUNCIL,

I ACCEPT with Thanks this obliging Address. As I have nothing more at Heart than to see this Province flourishing and happy under my Government, it cannot but give me particular Pleasure to find that I may expect the Assistance of Gentlemen of your distinguished Abilities and Zeal for His Majesty's Service.

To His EXCELLENCY

WILLIAM FRANKLIN, Esq;

Captain General, and Governor in Chief, in and over His MAJESTY'S Province of NEW-JERSEY, and Territories thereon depending, in America, Chancellor and Vice Admiral in the same &c.

The Humble ADDRESS of the Representatives of the said Province in General Assembly convened.

May it please your EXCELLENCY

We, His Majesty's dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Representatives of New-Jersey, in General Assembly convened, beg Leave to congratulate your Excellency on your Appointment to, and safe Arrival in, this Government.

Under the Disappointment of so unexpectedly and suddenly parting with an Administration that, in Governor Hardy, was disinterested, candid and benevolent; it is a Matter of great Satisfaction, to behold in your Excellency a Successor, from whose Knowledge of our Circumstances, and kind Approbation of our Conduct hitherto, we have reason to hope for a Continuation of every domestick and publick Happiness in the Power of a Governor to bestow, consistent with the Trust reposed in him; and no other we presume will be looked for; not will any

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Endeavours of ours be wanting, to render your Administration easy and happy. We acknowledge the Instance of Regard shewn to our private Affairs, in postponing the Meeting of the House to a Time of general Convenience; and having now the Pleasure of receiving your Excellency's Congratulations on the two important Events, the Birth of the Prince, and the Establishment of Peace, most heartily join in the Joy they occasion.

The general Advantages of the Peace are entirely to our Satisfaction, we believe, beyond Example, glorious. And when we consider the Difficulties attending the Neighbourhood of Canada, and its Dependencies, the Terrors of their repeated Inroads and Encroachments from the Beginning; but above all, the alarming savage Cruelties, we find ourselves unable to be sufficiently thankful for the Superintendency of that Part, which being so near us, falls more immediately within our own Observation, and are at a Loss which, under Providence, most to admire; the Wisdom that planned, the Power that executed, or Firmness that retained a Conquest of such immense national Value, and which to us on the Continent also smooths the Hardships of a Country in a great Part Wilderness, and amidst the Struggles of heavy Debts, and a new Settlement, gives the cheering Hope of future Tranquility. Ages to come will rejoice in the happy Event; and we trust the Recompense to our Mother Country will prove unfailing Returns of Wealth and Gratitude, in a Manner not now easily foreseen.

Considering the present Expence of living, we have augmented the Support of Government.

Such new Laws as were immediately wanted, have now been gone into; others, no Doubt, for the Improvement of Roads, Creeks and Rivers, and the Promotion of the Commerce, may be wanted, and at proper Times will not fail

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to engage our Attention; and we thank your Excellency for mentioning them to us, and the Assurances you have been pleased to give us concerning them.

To which His EXCELLENCY was pleased to give the following ANSWER

Mr. SPEAKER, and Gentlemen of the House of REPRESENTATIVES

It affords me great Pleasure to find that His Majesty's Appointment of me to this Government is so much to your Satisfaction

I return you many Thanks for your kind Congratulations; and do assure you, that whatever you have granted for the Support of Government shall, so far as relates to myself, be made use of for the Honor and Credit of the Province.

At a Convention of the CLERGY of the Church of England, at Perth-Amboy, in New-Jersey, the 31st of May, the following Address was presented, viz.

To His EXCELLENCY
WILLIAM FRANKLIN, Esq;

Governor and Commander in Chief in and over His MAJESTY'S Province of NEW-JERSEY, and Territories thereon depending, in America, Chancellor and Vice Admiral in the same.

May it please your EXCELLENCY,

We the Clergy of the Church of England, in the Province of New-Jersey, beg Leave to take this first Opportunity, which our dispersed Situation has admitted of, to present to your Excellency our very sincere Congratulations on your Appointment to the Government of this Province, and on you and your Lady's safe Arrival amongst us.

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As the Church of England has always distinguished itself by its Loyalty and Obedience to the civil Authority, we trust it will at all Times, be deemed worthy, in this Province, of the Esteem and Protection of His Majesty's Governors. This we have had the Happiness to experience under several of your Excellency's Predecessors, and hope to enjoy under the Administration of a Gentleman, whose qualifications and Accomplishments for Government have been represented to us in so amiable a Light.

We therefore beg Leave to recommend the Church of England in this Province to your Excellency's Patronage, and to assure you that we will contribute, as far as our Influence extends, to render your Administration agreeable and happy.

Signed by Order of the Clergy,

SAMUEL COOKE.[1]

To which His EXCELLENCY was pleased to return the following ANSWER.

So very obliging an Address from Gentlemen of your respectable Character, merits my most sincere and hearty Thanks.

It is with Truth I can assure you, that were it not my Duty, it would nevertheless be my Inclination, not only to patronize and protect the Church of England in this Province, but to afford the Clergy of it every Assistance in my Power

Just published, and to be sold by WILLIAM DUNLAP, at the Newest Printing-Office, on the South Side of the Jersey-Market, Philadelphia,

AN APPEAL from the SYNOD of New-York and Philadelphia, to the CHRISTIAN WORLD, relating to the CENSURE and SENTENCE of the said SYNOD, in their last Ses-

[1] For sketch of the Rev. Samuel Cooke, see N. J. Archives, XX., 636.

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sion at Philadelphia, against the REV. SAMUEL HARKER, Pastor of the Church at Black River, in East Jersey. Written by himself.

To be SOLD

A Plantation, containing upwards of 220 Acres of Land, in Chesterfield Township, Burlington County, in West-Jersey, within two Miles of Bordentown, one Mile from a good Landing on Crosswick's Creek, and a Mile and an Half from a Grist-mill. There are about 90 Acres of cleared Upland, and 10 Acres of good Meadow, all within Fence, the rest of the Land is well timbered, and whereon a great Quantity of rich mowing Ground may be easily made. There is on the said Place, a good Dwelling-house, with a Well of good Water by the Door; a new Barn, and other convenient Outhouses, and an Orchard of upwards of 150 bearing Apple Trees, all of good Fruit; the Whole is well watered, and pleasantly situated, and may be entered on in a short Time after the Sale. Any Person inclining to purchase, may be informed of the Title and Terms of Sale, by applying to William Steward, living on the Premises.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1799, *June* 16, 1763.

New-York, June 20. On Tuesday last the New-York Light-House and Publick Lottery began drawing at Mr. Burns's Long Room; since which the following Numbers turn'd up high Prizes, viz.

Numbers 7084, and 2864, £1000 each.
Number 7057, £500.
Numbers 9866, 3874, 4652, and 2741, £200 each.
Numbers 7496, and 4627, £100 each.

Last Tuesday Morning, departed this Life, after a few Days Illness; aged about 78 Years, the Honourable ARCH-

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IBALD KENNEDY,[1] Esq; His Majesty's Receiver General of the Province of New-York, and Collector of the Customs of this Port. He had been for many Years of His Majesty's Council of this Province, which some Months ago he resign'd on Account of his Age and other Employments. He was a Gentleman who always sustain'd a fair and amiable Character, and his Death is universally lamented by all his Acquaintance.—*The New York Gazette, June* 20, 1763.

STOLEN or stray'd out of the Pasture of Abraham Bonnel, on the twentieth of May at Night, in Kingwood Hunterdon County of West New-Jersey, a Strawberry rone Mare, neither Brand nor Ear Mark, Paces, Trots and Gallops well, something better than fourteen Hands high. Any Person that will take up said Mare and bring her to the Owner, shall have TWENTY SHILLINGS, and if out of the Province FORTY SHILLINGS Reward, and reasonable Charges paid, by

Abraham Bonnel.

Run-away last Night, from the Ship Sarah, a young Negro Man named Jack, about 6 feet high, very slim make, a very smooth Face, his Eyes bloodshed, is a Native of Guadaloupe, formerly belonged to Mr. Penell of that Island, speaks tolerable good English: Had on a brown Fustian Frock trimmed with red, a white Shirt, black Stock, Buckskin Breeches, wears Shoes with brass Buckles, and light blue worsted Stockings, and sometimes

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[1] Archibald Kennedy was a Scotch gentleman, a lawyer by profession, who was complimented with the freedom of New York, by the corporation of that town, July 25, 1710.—*N. Y. Hist. Soc. Coll.*, 1885, 464. In 1727, on the recommendation of Governor Burnet, he was appointed a member of the Council of the Province of New York, in which body he served until 1761, much of the time as Speaker.—*Journals*, passim. He was Receiver-General of the same Province, 1722-54; Collector of New York in 1758. In 1724 he acquired a tract of 383 acres at Bergen. He died June 14, 1763, and left two children—Archibald and Catharine. The former became a distinguished officer in the British Navy, and in 1792 succeeded to the Earldom of Cassilis.—*N. J. Archives*, IX., 460, note.

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white Ditto; he has a green Waistcoat and one the same as his Frock. Whoever brings the said Negro to Messrs. Willing and Morris, or on board the said Ship, shall have FIVE POUNDS Reward.

THOMAS DIXON.

N. B. He was at Gloucester all Sunday Night. It is supposed he is gone to New-York.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1072, *June* 23, 1763.

Custom-House, Philadelphia, Entered In. Brig Grey Hound, J. Hazzlewood, from Salem New-Jersey.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1073, *June* 30, 1763.

Lately published, and to be sold by W. DUNLAP, at the Newest Printing-Office, on the South Side of the Jersey Market, Price Two Shillings and Nine-pence;

PREDESTINATION consistent with GENERAL LIBERTY: OR THE SCHEME OF THE COVENANT OF GRACE. In which will be handled, The Nature and Extensiveness of the Covenant; the Decrees of Election and Reprobation; efficacious Grace, and a probationary State. . . . First, the Covenant. 1. It is purely a gracious Covenant. 2. All Men are included in it. 3. It is conditional. 4. There must be Life, or no Covenant. 5. The Holy Ghost, a new Heart, and Remission of Sins, are promised to all the human Race. 6. The Condition must be possible to all, or no Condition at all. 7. Regenerating Grace is promised to the Faith and Endeavourers of unregenerate Men. 8. Influences to change the Heart, are the Purchase of CHRIST. . . . Secondly, The Decrees of Election and Reprobation are certain and definite. Thirdly, Efficacious Grace is necessary to Regeneration and Justification, from which none can fall. . . . Fourthly, A Possibility of

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Falling, always necessary to a probationary State, for Regeneration, Justification, Eternal Life, or any Thing else.

By SAMUEL HARKER.[1]

Minister of the Gospel at Black River, in New-Jersey

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1800, *June* 23, 1763.

List of the fortunate Numbers in the NEW-JERSEY PROVINCIAL LOTTERY, drawn at *Burlington.* . . . .

—*Supplement to The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1800, *June* 23, 1763.

New-York, June 27. By a Boat which came in Wednesday, we are informed, that they saw a small Vessel, supposed to be a Coaster from Barnagat, loaded with Plank and Lumber, on shore on the Beach off Shrewsbury, near Shark River; she had lost her Mast, and was supposed to have been cast away on Saturday or Monday last. Two drowned Men, and several Women's Clothes, were driven on Shore, but no papers by which it could be known what Vessel she was, or where she belonged.

His Excellency Governor FRANKLIN, of New-Jersey, came to Town since our last.

To be Sold at Publick Vendue,

On Thursday the 8th of September next, between the Hours of One and Five in the Afternoon,

A Very good Farm and Dwelling House, with the Mills, Bolting-House, Bake-House, and Store-House, at Second River, adjoining Mr. Courtlandt's Mills: The Farm consists of about 160 Acres of Land, whereof about 100 Acres are clear'd, the remainder is

[1] For references to the Rev. Samuel Harker, see N. J. Archives, XX., 103, 651.

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good Wood Land: On it is a good Stone Dwelling House 45 Feet long, and 24 Feet wide, having three Rooms on a Floor, a good Cellar and Cellar Kitchen under it, and a good Barn, Garden, and Well near it. Opposite the House stands the Mill on Second-River, a most plentiful Stream in the driest Season: It is two Stories high, 63 Feet long, and 21 Feet broad, and has three pair of Stones in fine order: The Bolting-House adjoins it, which is two Stories high, 42 Feet long, and 21 Feet broad, has five good Bolts, is furnished with every thing necessary and convenient for the Bolting Business, and every Operation is carried on by Water; near it is an excellent Stone Bake-House two Stories high, 32 Feet long, and 26 Feet broad, which has two very fine Ovens in it. The Store-House stands on the Bank of Pasaick River, about a Quarter of a Mile from the Mills, it is two Stories and a half high, 56 Feet long, and 28 wide, at its Door a large Boat may load and unload. No Mill in the Province is better situated, nor has greater Conveniences for the Bolting and Baking Business than the above: And as its Distance from the City of New-York is only about Ten Miles by Land, or Thirty Miles by Water, it can never want Employment.—*The New York Gazette, June 27, 1763.*

TO BE SOLD,

By Publick Vendue at ten o'Clock in the forenoon on Monday the 25th of July next on the Premises,

Four Lots of Land, with three Dwelling-houses on the same, situated in Prince-Town, East New-Jersey, adjoining the College to the Westward, and Land of George Campbell, Tavern keeper to the Northward, the above Lots are each of them under Post and Rail Fence.

Any Person inclining to purchase before the Day of Sale, may know the Terms by applying to William

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Sword, Merchant in Philadelphia.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1073, *June* 30, 1763.

CUSTOM-HOUSE, *Philadelphia,* INWARD ENTRIES Schooner David, C. Hopkins, Salem on Delaware.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1801, *June* 30, 1763.

Scheme OF THE
New-York SECOND Light-House and
Publick Lottery, for the year 1763.

THE first Lottery for raising *Three Thousand Pounds* for the Purposes above-mentioned, having, pursuant to an Act of the Legislature of this Colony, entitled, An *Act for raising Six Thousand Pounds, by Way of Lottery, for the Purposes therein mentioned,* been drawn; the following is the Scheme for the *Second* Lottery; for raising the like Sum of *Three Thousand Pounds;* that is to say, The Lottery is to consist of 10,000 Tickets at Forty Shillings each; whereof 1684 are to be fortunate. Subject to Fifteen per Cent. Deduction, viz.

Prizes.		Value of Each.		Total Value.
2	of	£1000	are	£2000
4		500		2000
8		200		1600
10		100		1000
30		50		1500
50		20		1000
100		15		1500
400		10		4000
1080		5		5400
1684 Prizes		Makes 10,000 Tickets		
8316 Blanks		at Forty Shillings		£20,000

The Drawing to commence on the First Day of Novem-

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ber next, or as early before that Time as the Lottery is full; under the Inspection of the Members of the Corporation of the City of New-York.

TICKETS are to be had at the Dwelling Houses of Abraham Lott, jun. and Christopher Smith, who are appointed Managers, have given Security, and sworn faithfully to execute the Trust reposed in them. And as soon as the Drawing is finished, and the Books settled, the Numbers of the fortunate Tickets will be published in this Paper, and the Monies paid to the Possessors thereof.

As a great Number of the Tickets are already engaged, the Managers have the greatest Reason to believe that the Lottery will be drawn some Weeks before the Time above appointed: It will therefore be necessary for all those who are desirous of becoming Adventurers, That they apply speedily, that they may not be debarred of having Chances, as was the case with many in the last Lottery.

New-York, July 4, 1763.

—*The New York Gazette, July* 4, 1763.

CUSTOM HOUSE, *Philadelphia,* INWARD ENTRIES Sloop Harlequin, J. Hickey, from Salem on Delaware.

Run away the 2d Inst. from the Subscriber, living in Upper Freehold, Monmouth County, East-New-Jersey, A Servant Man, named John Richman, about 20 Years of Age, 5 Feet 10 Inches high, well-set and active: Had on when he went away, A new Felt Hat, blue Cloth Coat, brown Broadcloth Jacket, Leather Breeches, dark grey Yarn Stockings, two Pair of Shoes, one old and the other new, with Brass Buckles. Whoever takes up and secures said Servant, so that his Master may have him again, shall have Three Pounds Reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by JOHN VOORHEES.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1802, *July* 7, 1763.

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List of Letters remaining in the Post-Office,
New-York, July 5, 1763.

. . . . The Rev. Wilhelmus Jackson,[1] Bergen. . . .

TO BE SOLD,

A Plantation Whereon the Subscriber now dwells, containing near 300 Acres of Land, more or less, well water'd and timber'd, with about the one-half cleared; there is on it a good large Dwelling House cover'd with Cedar, with a Kitchen, and a Well before the Door; also a good Barn cover'd with Cedar, a góod Grist-Mill, with a constant Stream, lying in a fine Place for Custom; there is also on it other useful Buildings, with about 20 Acres of good Meadow that produces yearly a great Burthen of Clover Hay, and a great Quantity more Meadow may be made; likewise there is on it two good Orchards of extraordinary Fruit, which yearly produces Apples enough to make upwards of 100 Barrels of Cyder; also a fine Piece of Salt Meadow that lies within a Mile of the fore-mentioned Mill. It would be too tedious to set forth all the Advantages. The above Premises lies in Middletown, in the County of Monmouth, East New-Jersey, about a Mile from Shrewsbury River, near the publick Landing, where a Quantity of Fish, Oysters, and Clams, are catcht in the Season. It is presumed it will suit a Merchant. Any Person inclining to purchase, may apply to ELIZABETH HOFFMIRE, Widow, living on the Premises, who will give an indisputable Title for the same.—*The New York Gazette, July* 11, 1763.

BROKE out of Salem Goal last Night, Martin Cornett about 22 years of Age, well set Fellow, of a very pale

[1] The Rev. Wilhelmus Jackson studied in Holland four years, and on returning to America was licensed in 1857 to preach, and was pastor of the Reformed Dutch churches of Bergen and Staten Island, 1757-1789. He died in 1813. He was noted as a powerful preacher, with a far-reaching voice, rivaling Whitefield as an open-air speaker.

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Countenance wore black Hair sometimes tied, an old Beaver Hat with a large Brim, a Cloth Coat of a lightish colour with a lightish linen Homespun Holland Jacket, old blue plush Breeches, old worsted Stockings, an old pair of Shoes. Likewise John Harding Ottway, about five Feet four Inches high, has a stopage in his Speech as if he had a great Cold, wears bushy Hair something sandy, supposed to have on when he went away, a lightish coloured Coat Jacket and Breeches, all supposed to be of one piece. Whoever takes up and secures the said Run-aways in any Goal so as the Subscriber may have them again, shall have FIVE POUNDS Reward. FIFTY SHILLINGS if one of them, paid by

JOSEPH BURROUGH, Sheriff.

—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1075, *July* 14, 1763.

Philadelphia, July 11, 1763.

All Persons indebted to the Estate of James Graisbury, Tanner, late of Newtown, Gloucester County, deceased, are requested to pay off their respective Debts; and those who have any Demands against said Estate, are desired to bring in their Accounts, in order to be adjusted and settled by JAMES AND JOSEPH GRAISBURY, Executors.

The Subscriber having removed from Pennington, in the County of Hunterdon, and Province of New-Jersey, proposes to sell all his Interest there, consisting of several valuable Lots of Land, containing in the whole about 21 Acres. On one of the Lots is a good Dwelling-house, Store and Smoak-house, with the other Conveniences requisite for Trade, and as they have been occupied in that Way, would suit any Person who is inclined to open a Country Store. The Situation is extremely good, as the Premises stand in the best Part of the Town, at the Cor-

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ner of two great Roads, one leading from Trenton to Amwell, and the other from the River to Rocky-Hill. The other Lots are well adapted to accommodate the Purchaser of the Dwelling-house and Store, as they consist of Meadow, Pasture, and Wood-land, in suitable Proportions. Any Person who is disposed to purchase, may apply to the Subscriber, at Amwell, in the said County, near John Ringo's.

JOSIAH FURMAN, jun.

WHEREAS Application has been made by Petition, to the General Assembly of the Province of New-Jersey, respecting a Road or Bridge over Newton Creek, in the County of Gloucester; in Consequence of which, the Petitioners have Leave, by an Order of said House, to bring in a Bill to the next Sessions of General Assembly, to be held at Burlington, provided that publick Notice thereof be published in the Pennsylvania Gazette: These are therefore to notify whom it may concern, that the Petitioners intend to present their Bill, according to said Order of the House; and they that have any Thing to object, may attend the said House, and make their Objections.

Burlington, July 5, 1763.

The Subscriber having, for strong Reasons, left T. Powell, and procured a commodious Room, proposes to open School the 11th of July, in which the following Branches of Literature will be taught, viz. Latin, French, English, Writing and Arithmetic, and the strictest Attendance given: Having also provided Conveniences proper for Boarders; those who are inclined to put Children under his Tuition, will have, in all Probability, in a reasonable Time, the Satisfaction of finding them capable of conversing in the French Tongue, as he proposes to give frequent Lectures, and to render it familiar, by the

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constant Practice and Use of it in the Family. The Encouragement of the Public in this useful Undertaking, shall be gratefully acknowledged in the closest Application to the Benefit of the Scholars, from their Friend WILLIAM WYATT FENTHAM, late Latin Master in Thomas Powell's School.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1803, *July* 14, 1763.

To be sold, on the Premises, on the fifth Day of September next being the second Day of the Week (if not sold before at private Sale) A good Plantation, lying between Chever's and Goslin's Mills, in Greenwich Township, Gloucester County, containing about 353 Acres, between 40 and 50 Acres of Up-land cleared, about 25 Acres of Meadow fit for mowing, and 50 more may be easily made; thereon are two small Dwelling and Out-houses, also two young Orchards. The said Plantation is well watered, lying on both sides of Raccoon Creek, where there is good Conveniency to build a Mill, being about 7 Miles from a Landing, and 20 from Gloucester. The Conditions will be made public at the Sale, or any Time before, by applying to Christopher Marshall in Chestnut-street, Philadelphia, or to John Ogg, on the Premises.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1803, *July* 14, 1763.

WHEREAS ISAAC JOHNSON, formerly of the City of New-York, Shop-keeper, but late of the Nevesinks, deceased, did, by his Will, set at Liberty a Molatto Slave, called *Thomas Jackson*, and provided Security to render his Manumission effectual; but the Bond given for that Purpose hath been destroyed, and an unjust Attempt lately made to sell him at Vendue; which induced certain Persons, from Motives of Humanity, to indemnify the City or Place he may reside in, whereby his Freedom is perfected: These are therefore to caution all Persons against

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purchasing the said Thomas, if he should again be offered to Sale. And Threats having been thrown out by Persons claiming the Estate of the said Isaac Johnson, that they would dispose of the said Thomas beyond Sea, all Masters of Vessels are prohibited from carrying him off, as they will answer it at their Peril, the Persons who have taken him into their Protection being resolved to procure him Justice. He is about 14 Years of Age, five Feet high, of a slender Make, born in this Country, and can read and write.—*The New York Gazette, July* 18, 1763.

BORDEN TOWN STAGE,

THE Publick is hereby informed that my Stage Boats is to tend on the days they formerly did, and that they will begin on Saturday the 23d or Sunday the 24th Instant, and from that time they shall sail from the Crooked Billet Wharff in Philadelphia every Saturday night or Sunday morning, and every Wednesday; Every thing in my power shall be done to make the Stage agreeable to Passengers, and for the dispatch of Goods.

JOSEPH BORDEN Junr.

—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1076, *July* 21, 1763.

Perth-Amboy, July 22, 1763. This Day His Excellency our Governor, attended by the Corporation and principal Gentlemen of this Place, went in Procession to the Court House, where His Majesty's Proclamation of Peace was read and published in the usual Form. After which they return'd to His Excellency's, and drank the Health's of His Majesty, the Royal Family, &c.—*The New York Gazette, July* 25, 1763.

Custom-House, Philadelphia, Entered In. Brig Margery, E. Nicholson, from Salem.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1077, *July* 28, 1763.

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Philadelphia, July 23, 1763.

WHEREAS a certain John Henry Vanravenclare, on or about the Tenth of July inst. stole from the Commons of Philadelphia, a brown Horse, belonging to the Subscriber and sold him at public Vendue in the City of Burlington, by which I have been put to great Trouble and Expence: These are therefore to inform the Public, that I will give a Reward of Forty Shillings to any Person that shall apprehend and secure said Vanravenclare in any of his Majesty's Goals within this Province, that he may answer for his Demerits. He is a short thick-set Dutchman, of a dark Complexion, has lost the sight of his right Eye, wears a brown cut Wig, and black Jacket; he pretends to be the Parson of a Dutch Congregation back of Lancaster, and is supposed to be gone that Way. As the Practice of Horse-stealing is of late become so frequent, it is hoped that every Member of the Community, and Lover of Justice, will be vigilant and careful to detect such Villains.

Philip Young.

N. B. He can speak Latin and French well.

TO BE LETT

A Commodious Smith's Shop, with two Forges, and two Setts of good Tools therein, and a convenient Dwelling-house near the said Shop, situate in Moore's-Town in the County of Burlington. The said Shop hath been carried on for near 20 Years past, and has always had Plenty of good Custom. The said House and Shop may be entered upon immediately; any Workman inclining to rent the same, either with or without the Tools, may be further informed as to the Terms, by applying to JOHN COX, living in said Moore's-Town.

TO BE SOLD,

A TRACT of Land, containing 750 Acres, with the usual

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Allowance for Highways, situate in Sussex County, in West-New-Jersey, on a Branch of Delaware, called Pokattekung, about 40 Miles above Trenton, well watered, and well timbered, with a considerable Quantity of Swamp on both Sides of a Stream of Water, sufficient for a Mill, suitable for Meadow, which may be watered by Streams issuing out of the Mountains on both Sides. Any Person inclining to purchase the Whole, or a Part, may be informed of the Title and Terms of Sale, by applying to ISAAC ANDREWS, living near Woodbury Creek, in Gloucester County.

To be sold by public Vendue on the 20th Day of August, on the Premises, a good and commodious three Story Dwelling-house, situated on the East-side of the upper End of King-street, in the Borough of Trenton, Hunterdon County, New-Jersey, with a Lot of Land, thereto belonging, extending from King-street to Queen-street, containing 40 Feet Front on each of said Streets. Said House stands well for any public Business, either for a Merchant's Store, for which it is well fitted up, or for a Tavern, as it is at present, and known by the Sign of the King of Prussia.

Also at the same Time and Place, will be sold sundry Sorts of Household Goods, several Sorts of Paints and other Things. The Conditions will be made known at the Time of Sale, and Attendance given, by

JULIUS EWAN.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1805, *July* 28, 1763.

TO BE SOLD,

THE late Dwelling House of Col. JOSIAH OGDEN, at Newark, being built of Free-stone, two and a half Story high, has six good Rooms and Fire-places, be-

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sides a Kitchen with a Garden and Barn, and also about four Acres of very good Mowing or Pasture Land, with an Orchard thereon of choice Fruit lying near said House, which is pleasantly situated at the most publick Landing in Newark, and very suitable for a Store-keeper or Merchant. Whoever inclines to purchase the same, may apply to David Ogden and Isaac Longworth, at Newark, and to Dr. Jacob Ogden, of Jamaica, on Long-Island, or to either of them, who will agree for the same.

Newark, July 26, 1763.

RUN away from his Bail on Monday the 18th of July last at Night, one Cornelius Campbell, aged about 26 Years, of a brownish Complexion, about 5 Feet 2 Inches high, some-thing pitted with the Small-pox, a Weaver by Trade, has long black Hair tied behind, thin visaged: Had on when he went away, a half-worn Castor Hat, brownish Silk Camblet Coat with a Cape, a Crimson Velvet Vest, the Back Parts Scarlet, Buff colour'd Stocking Breeches, stain'd much with Liquor, white Cotton Stockings, old Pumps, with odd Buckles in them, sings a very good Song, something inclin'd to Liquor, rides an old white Horse, a common hunting Saddle without Housings, pretends to understand riding and keeping of Race Horses; has also a blue Surtout Coat with him. Whoever takes up said Campbell, and secures him in any Gaol in the Province of New-Jersey, shall receive the Sum of Three pounds Reward, paid by me

JOSEPH STONE BANKS.

Pile's Grove, Salem County, July 23, 1763.

—*The New York Gazette, August* 1, 1763.

NEW-YORK, *August* 1.

We hear the Dublin man of war, who is at anchor at the

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outside of the Hook, is to sail for England this Day or to-morrow.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1078, *August* 4, 1763.

Extract from ——— To the PUBLIC.

The humble Representation of FREDERICK ROTHENBUHLER, Minister of the High Dutch Reformed Church in Philadelphia.

As I find my Character misrepresented in the Gazette of June 23d; . . . .

. . . . But those Papers being unfortunately lost as I was almost ready to sail for New-York, to make up this Loss, and for a further Recommendation I requested, and readily had a Certificate from the following Ministers in London, who saw all those Papers and Testimonials, the Original of which Certificate is lodged with Mr. Hall; and here follows the Translation.

To the benevolent Reader Prosperity !

"The Bearer hereof, the Reverend Mr. Frederick Rothenbuhler, a Citizen of Bern, has fully satisfied us the Subscribers, by undeniable Certificates from the Ministers and Professors of the College in the City of Bern, that having there finished his Academical Studies, he was lawfully ordained to the Work of the Gospel Ministry in the Year 1752. Coming to Holland last Year, he preached frequently for the Space of ten Months in French and High Dutch, both at the Hague and in Amsterdam; and there he was advised by Men of great Reputation both in the Republic and the Church, who knew his Learning and Qualifications, to devote his Talents to the Service of the Church of Christ in North America.

"In Obedience to their good Counsels, he procured from his native Country new Testimonials of his ministerial Character and good Behaviours for this Purpose;

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and he likewise brought to us, to London many Letters of Recommendation, and some to Gentlemen in New-York, particularly to Mr. Van Harlingen, and to the Reverend Mr. Lydt of New-Brunswick; all which public Testimonials and Letters of Recommendation we have seen or have now in our Hands. As he lost some of his Papers, going aboard the Ship York, and was uncertain whether he might ever recover them, he requested us to certify this Circumstance, and what we know of his Conduct and Character.[1] . . . .

Custom-House, Philadelphia, Entered In. Schooner Diana, J. Philips, from Salem, Delaware.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1078, *August* 4, 1763.

All Persons, having any Demands against the Estate of John Hughes, late of Cape May, deceased, are desired to bring in their Accounts, in order that they may be settled; and those that are indebted to said Estate are requested to discharge the same.

MARTHA HUGHES, Administratrix.

TO BE SOLD

Two Plantations, both in Deerfield Township, Cumberland County, in West Jersey, within one Mile of a Presbyterian Church, pleasantly situated on the Road from Cohansey to Gloucester, and adjoining Fithian Stratton's Plantation, where he now lives. One of said Plantations containing 100 Acres of exceeding good Land, with some Meadow; 60 Acres of said Land is cleared, and in good Fence, with a good Frame House and Kitchen, a good Brick Well of Water near the Door, a large Frame

[1] Frederick Rothenbühler was born at Berne, Switzerland, in 1726, ordained in 1752, preached at The Hague and Amsterdam, 1759-60, was pastor of a German Reformed church in London, 1760-61, of a similar church in New York, 1761-62, and in Philadelphia, 1762-65; died 1766.

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Barn, an Apple Orchard of very good Fruit, and a Peach Orchard, both of which bear very well. The Title indisputable. . . . The other Plantation containing 42 Acres of exceeding good Land, 12 of which is lately cleared, and in good Fence, with a new Frame House, with two Rooms and a Cellar, a young Apple Orchard, and a good Well near the Door; it is very convenient for a Tradesman, and may be entered on immediately. The Title indisputable. Any Person inclining to purchase either of said Plantations may be informed of the Terms, by applying to FITHIAN STREATTON, near the Premises, or Isaac Harris, at Cape May.

New-Jersey, Somerset County, August 1, 1763.

Last Night absconded from Jacob Vanderveer, a Servant Man, named Johan Gotfreit Kritner, about 28 Years of Age, a middle-sized Man: Had on when he went away, a grey Plush Jacket, the Back and Sleeves of which are of Cloth, and of another Colour; grey Plush Breeches, Trousers, Shirt, good Shoes and Hat, and blue Worsted Stockings: He is somewhat of a fair Complexion, has brown Hair a little curled, blue Eyes, walks with his Head a little downward, his Feet broad over the Toes, speaks broken English, has followed the Seas, and has good Education. Whoever apprehends the said Servant, so that his Master may have him again, shall have Four Pounds Reward, and reasonable Charges, New Jersey Currency, paid by

JACOB VANDERVEER

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1806, *August* 4, 1763.

LIST of LETTERS remaining in the Post-Office in Philadelphia.

Thomas Anderson, New-Jersey. William B. Brown, Salem.

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Thomas Crown, New-Jersey Thomas Cooper, Mountholly.

Thomas Douglass, Crosswicks, Peter Darling, Salem County.

John Denny and Widow Donnald, in Cumberland County.

John Estaugh, Haddonfield. Samuel Hylle, Cumberland County

William Wood, Somerset County. Samuel Johnson, New Jersey.

Thomas Kirk, Cumberland County James Lenard, Kingston.

Benjamin Lardner (2) Cross Roads. William Magee, New Jersey.

John Poag, Salem County. Nathan Shaw, Cumberland County

Gaspar Smith and Michael Shaffer in New Jersey.

Joseph Wilson and Hannah Ward in New Jersey.

Samuel Young, Mill Creek.

To be Sold,

A Tract of 334 Acres of Land, in the Township of Hopewell, and County of Hunterdon, New Jersey, about seven Miles from Trenton, adjoining the Lands of William Lister, Garret Johnson and others. There is on it a Dwelling-house, and above 100 Acres cleared, and in Fence, which is chiefly strong Wheat Land, and now rented by Daniel Severns. The rest of the Tract hath Abundance of Wood upon it, and some Meadow may be easily got into Order. The Title is clear. It has a large Front, with a bold Shore, and fine Prospect on the River Delaware. The Purchaser may have several Years to pay the greatest Part of the Money. For further Particulars, enquire of John Smith,[1] in Burlington.

[1] For a sketch of John Smith, see N. J. Archives, X., 231, note.

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N. B. It may be conveniently divided into two or three Parts.

Strayed or stolen, on the 30th of June last, from the Subscriber, living at John Kay's Mill, near Haddonfield, in Gloucester County, a black Mare, about 14 Hands 3 Inches high, paces chiefly, but can trot, no brand nor natural Marks that are known, her Mane cut to a Comb on the near Side. Whoever takes up the said Mare, and brings her to said Mill, shall have Thirty Shillings Reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by

Joseph Howard.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1806, *August* 4, 1763.

☞ *"Why should not a Fool have his Work done for his Money as well as a Wise Man ?*

(The following came WELL RECOMMENDED; and is, to a Tittle, agreeable to Copy.)

P. Amboy }
N. Jersey, }

A Little time since we was Entertain'd at a Large meeting of the head men of a Corporation with some of the Most Unmerciful hard words we Ever heard in our Lives, vizt.

Congratulatory—Deprived—Remote—Residence.

Cordiality — Tribute — Approach — Accurate — Sentiments.

Discernment—Strains—Unmeaning—Ceremony.

Delusive—Object—Eminence—Felicity.

Munificence—Attracted—Accomplishment.

Lustre—Worth—Dazzling—Commencement.

Suffrage—Martial—Splender—Terminated.

Testimony—Personal—Merit—Distinguished.

Brilliant—AEra—Adaquate—Pages—Revolution.

Series—Bassis—Teritory—Acquisition.

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Internal—Repose—Domestick—Harmony.
Unruffled—Jarrs—Discord—Litigation—Salutary.
Effectuate—Political—Amplest—Dissention.
Judicial—Decisions—Unquestionably—Completion.
Inflexable — Prerogatives — Constitutional — Indulgence.
Conciliate—Unlimitted—Insinuations—Malevolence.
Misrepresentations—Amiable—Emolument.
Loyalty—Invincible—Prompt.
Reality—Evince.
Ardent—Ignorance.

So after Meeting We went to Ask the Minister what they meant, he told us he did not rightly understand them all, but there was Strife—Quarreling—Spite—fall out—Disagree—not to be Conquered—Not to be bended—and he Supposed the rest was the like, and so we went home Sattisfied That it was not Popery, nor Treason.—*The New York Gazette, August* 8, 1763.

Custom-House, Philadelphia, Entered In. Sloop Sally, E. Bissell, from Salem on Delaware. Sloop Patsey Hill, T. Coursey, from Salem, Delaware.

Cleared. Sloop Jolly Robin, W. Hudson, to Amboy.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1079, *August* 11, 1763.

PHILADELPHIA, August 11

By HIS EXCELLENCY

WILLIAM FRANKLIN, Esq;

Captain General, and Governor in Chief in and over the Province of New-Jersey, and Territories thereon depending, in America, Chancellor and Vice Admiral in the same, &c.

A PROCLAMATION

Whereas it hath pleased Almighty GOD, the Giver of

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all good Gifts, to grant Success to the Endeavours of our most gracious Sovereign, for putting a Period to the Horrors and Devastations of War, by the Establishment of a general Peace among the Princes of Europe, and particularly between His Majesty and His Most Christian Majesty the French King, and His Most Catholic Majesty the King of Spain: A Peace founded in Wisdom and Moderation, which has fully accomplished the great End for which the War was undertaken, and is beyond Example adapted for extending the Commerce, increasing the Strength, and promoting the Happiness, of the British Nation. These invaluable Blessings, and the effectual Security, which is now given to the Protestant Interest, so much endangered during the Course of the War, demand the most fervent Acknowledgements, and Acts of Gratitude, to that Divine Being, who is the Author of Peace and Lover of Concord.

That this most necessary and indispensible Duty may be the more solemnly discharged, I Do in Pursuance of His Majesty's Commands to me for that Purpose, ordain and appoint, that Thursday, the 25th of this Month, be set apart and observed as a Day of public Prayer and Thanksgiving, by all His Majesty's Subjects throughout this Colony; exhorting them to prostrate themselves on that Day before the Throne of Grace; and, with the utmost Humiliation and Fervency, to return Thanks to Almighty God, for the great Blessings of Peace, and to implore his divine Protection and Favour for the future.

And I do recommend it to the Ministers and Preachers of the Gospel, to compose Sermons suitable to this solemn Occasion and require them to give due Notice of this Proclamation to their respective Congregations.

Given under my Hand, and seal at Arms, at the City of Burlington, this Eighth Day of August, in the Year of

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our Lord, One Thousand, Seven Hundred and Sixty-three.

WILLIAM FRANKLIN

By His Excellency's Command,

CHARLES READ, Secretary.

GOD Save the KING.

Broke out of the common Goal of the County of Somerset, in the Night of the 28th of June last, a certain Michael Sullivan, a middle sized Man, about five Feet, five or six Inches high, with short brown Hair, and a redish Beard; had on when he went off, an old Hat, an old brown Vest and Trousers, but no Shoes nor Stockings. Whoever will apprehend the said Fellow, shall be well rewarded for their Trouble, by

GEORGE REMER or WILLIAM MILLAN, Goaler.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1807, *August* 11, 1763.

New-York, August 15. His Excellency Governor Franklin, has issued a Proclamation, dated the 8th Instant, appointing Thursday the 25th of this Month, to be observed as a Day of Prayer and Thanksgiving throughout New-Jersey Government.

The ELIZABETH-TOWN
FREE MASONS Plate
Of Twenty Pounds Value,

TO be RUN for in the Field of John Vander Belt, on the South Side of Staten-Island, on Tuesday the Fourth Day of October next, (being the first Day of the Elizabeth-Town Fair) by any Horse, Mare, or Gelding, (whose[1] blooded only excepted) to carry Nine Stone, the best of Three Heats, Three Miles each Heat, Three

[1] those.

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Pounds for each. The Owner of each Horse, Mare, or Gelding, must enter them the Day before, and pay unto Mr. Thomas Dongan, or Jacob Vander Belt, the Sum of Twenty Shillings for each. The Entrance Money to be run for the next Day, by all but the winning Horse of the preceding Day, and those distanced. Those that neglect to enter till the Day of Running, must pay double Entrance at the Stake. Not less than three will be permitted to start for the above Plate. All Disputes that may arise shall be determined by three Master Masons,[1] who are appointed for that Purpose.—*The New York Gazette, August* 15, 1763.

Custom-House, Philadelphia, Entered In. Brig Betsey, W. Carlisle, from Salem, Delaware.

Cleared. Sloop Benjamin, T. Dewick, to Amboy.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1080, *August* 18, 1763.

THREE POUNDS REWARD

Run away from the Subscriber, on the 14th of this instant August, living in Gloucester County, an Irish Servant Man, named James Martin, about 27 Years of Age, 5 Feet 6 Inches high; he has shortish brown Hair, and a sprightly Countenance, and has been used to County Business; Had on and took with him when he went away, a brown Bearskin Coat, Jacket and Breeches, one under green Jacket without Sleeves, an old Beaver Hat with white Lining, a check Shirt, one white Ditto, a Pair of old Trowsers, and a Pair of Shoes, with Brass Buckles. Whoever takes up said Servant, and secures him, so that

[1] St. John's Lodge, of Newark, was chartered in 1761. At the celebration of St. John the Baptist's day, June 24, 1762, by the St. John's Grand Lodge, of Massachusetts, a deputation was granted to Jonathan Hampton, a prominent citizen of Elizabethtown, to constitute a Lodge at that place, by the name of Temple Lodge, No. 1. It was organized and did some work, but no records of the Lodge are known to exist. It is hardly probable that the horse race advertised was under the auspices of the Lodge, but the advertisement indicates that the Lodge was in existence, and that Masonry was active, in the town in the Summer of 1763.

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his Master may have him again, shall receive the above Reward, and all reasonable Charges, paid by me

JOHN ESTAUGH HOPKINS.

N. B. All Masters of Vessels are forewarned not to carry him off at their Peril.

Notice is hereby given, That the Subscriber, living in Third-street, a few Doors above Race-street, near the Sign of the Three Reapers, has provided convenient Stage Wagons, which go from Philadelphia to Trenton Ferry every Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday, and there deliver Goods and Passengers to other Stage Waggons, which are carried to Brunswick, and from thence to Elizabeth Town or Amboy, as the Passengers may chuse. All those who are pleased to favour him with their Employ, may depend on being faithfully served by

JONATHAN BILES.

N. B. The Stage Days will be only on Mondays and Thursdays from the First of October next, during the Winter.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1808, *August* 18, 1763.

Boston, August. 15. We hear that the Province of Pennsylvania has received out of the Parliament Grant of 1761, the Sum of £10,947 and the Colony of Connecticut the sum of £3619-12s. Stirling, more than their Proportion, as appeared by General Amherst's Return, which they are to refund to the six other Colonies as follows, viz.

To Massachusetts-Bay,	£1858-00
To New-Hampshire,	673-03
To Rhode-Island,	2541-15
To New-York,	5812-10
To New-Jersey,	2338-08
To Virginia,	1343-12

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To be Sold at Public Vendue, at the Premises, at Raritan River, on Monday the 26th Day of September next, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon,

The Grist-Mill of CORNELIUS and JOHN TUNISON, she is new built, with two Pair of Stones, also about 50 Acres of very good Land mostly Meadow, with a very good House and Barn, a very fine Merchant's Shop, and Cooper's Shop, and is one of the best Mills in America for Country or Merchant's Work, and likewise one of the best Places for Trade. Scows that will carry 100 Barrels may go from the Mill Door in a small Freshet to New-Brunswick, or Landing.

N. B. Any Person inclining to purchase the above Premises, may know the Conditions of Sale, by applying to said Cornelius and John Tunison, on the Premises, where due Attendance will be given.—*The New York Gazette, August* 22, 1763.

Extract of a Letter from Niagara, July 25, 1763.

"Since my last a Man, of the New-Jersey Provincials, belonging to this Garrison, was scalped within a Mile and a Half of the Fort, as he was going Express to Fort Schlosser, a Place about 18 Miles from hence, and where they embark, after having crossed the Portage."

To be sold by the Subscriber, living in Burlington, a Tract of Land, containing 100 Acres, situate in the Township of Bethlehem, in the County of Hunterdon, and Province of New Jersey, on the South Side of Musconetcong River, and is bounded by Land surveyed to Samuel Barker, William Henry, and Jonathan Wright, now Thomas Leak's. Any Person or Persons inclining to purchase the same, may know the Terms, by applying to

JOHN SCATTERGOOD.

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TO BE SOLD,

A House and Lot of Land, pleasantly situated in the City of Burlington, adjoining on Pearl and Fourth Streets and on the River Delaware. The House is Brick, two Stories high, two Rooms on a Floor, and a good Brick Kitchen to the same, with an extraordinary good Well of Water in the Yard. Any Person inclining to purchase the same, may know the Terms by applying to Rachel Versee, at the next Door, or to the Subscriber, in Bordentown.

John Taylor.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1809, *August* 25, 1763.

Newark, August 24, 1763.

To be Sold at Publick Vendue, on the Premises, on Monday the Twelfth Day of September next, to begin at Two of the Clock in the Afternoon.

THE late Dwelling House of Col. JOSIAH OGDEN, at Newark, Gardens, Barn, and Water Lot adjoining: The House is built of Freestone, two and a Half Story high; has six good Rooms and Fire-places, besides Kitchen. It is pleasantly situated on Passaick River, at the most publick Landing of said Town; very convenient for a Store: When will also be sold, a Lot of exceeding good Land near said House, containing about four Acres, having a good Orchard thereon; one Chaise, one Chair, a good Chair Horse; with sundry other Things. The Title of said real Estate is indisputable.—*The New York Gazette, August* 29, 1763.

TO BE SOLD,

A Very valuable plantation, or tract of land, containing about 600 acres, situate in Gloucester county, west New-

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Jersey, distant about 10 miles from Philadelphia, and 3 miles from Haddon Field; 500 acres of said tract is exceeding well timber'd, the greater part being choice sappling Hickery; the remaining 100 acres is cleared, and consists of meadow, orchard, and ariable land, now in tenure of Jeremiah Jones. The whole is well water'd, and the soil very fertile. The purchaser will receive the benefit of 16 acres of winter grain in the ground, when the present tennant moves off the place.

Any person proposing to purchase, may, upon paying one half of the money down, have the remainder on interest, with giving security.

For further particulars apply to Benjamin Swett, Junr. in Front-street, Philadelphia

Just imported and to be sold by
GARRETT and GEORGE MEADE,
At their store in Walnut-street.

A Few hogsheads of old Barbados spirit fit for immediate use, rum, Muscovado sugar in barrells, cotton, and a few hogsheads of the best Teneriffe wine.

N. B. They have also to sell at Coopers Ferry over the river, three likely Negroe boys, and one girl, which they will also dispose of on the most reasonable terms.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1082, *September* 1, 1763.

TEN DOLLARS Reward

Made his Escape from Trenton Goal, on Saturday Night, the 27th of August, one James Bray, about 5 Feet 9 Inches high, has had the Small-Pox, has a Blemish in one Eye, black Hair, lately cut short, is much inclined to drink strong Liquors: Had on, when he went away, a red or Scarlet Coat, with a black Cape, the Cuffs of the Coat torn off, old Leather Breeches, mended with white

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Thread, coarse white Shirt, light blue Yarn Stockings, old Shoes, with Strings, and old Castor Hat; born in the County of Hunterdon, in West Jersey, is about 30 Years of Age. Whoever takes up the said James Bray, and secures him in any Goal, shall be paid the above Reward by me,

GEORGE BROWN, Goaler

N. B. All Masters of Vessels are forbid to carry him off, at their Peril.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1810, *September* 1, 1763.

NEW YORK, August 29

We hear that the Bodies of all the People who were unfortunately drowned last Week, in crossing the Ferry to Staten Island . . . . have been since found

On Monday last the Bodies of Mr James Anderson, and N. Chapman, and on Tuesday Mr. Robert Kennedy, were buried at Richmond Church, Staten Island; also on Monday the Bodies of Mr. James Morrison, and Mr. David Gammel, and on Tuesday Mr. De Loge were buried on Constable Point, New-Jersey, and Mrs. Reynolds at Trinity Church in this City; the Negro Boy has also been found and buried, and we have just heard Mrs. Hinderton is also found.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1810, *September* 1, 1763.

Run away from the Subscriber, living in Pilesgrove, Salem County, on the 29th of August last, a Servant Man named John Morrison, about 5 Feet 5 or 6 Inches high, well set, brown Complexion, with short black Hair, but generally wears a Silk cap: Had on when he went away, a brown Home-spun Jacket, a Tow Shirt, a Pair of white twilled Drawers, grey ribbed Stockings, old Pumps, with small Brass Buckles in them, and a Half worn Castor

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Hat: Whoever takes up the said Servant, and brings him to his Master, or secures him, so that he may have him again, shall have Three Pounds Reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by

THOMAS GRAVES.

N. B. All Masters of Vessels and others, are forbid carrying him off, as they shall surely answer it at their Peril.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1810, *September* 1, 1763.

By Virtue of a Writ of Fieri Facias to me directed, will be exposed to Sale, by Way of publick Vendue, on the 20th of September inst. A certain Plantation, containing about 160 Acres of good Land, situate in the Township of Amwell, late the Property of Jacob Arnwine, with a large Stone House, two Stories high 45 Feet by 38, two separate Cellars, and a Kitchen under the House, with other Conveniences, five Rooms on the lower Floor, well finished; also a large framed Barn, with out Houses; a good Meadow may be watered sufficient for the Place; and upon the said Place are two Grist Mills, with a constant Stream of Water in the driest Time. The above Place is very convenient for Store or Tavern, both being kept there for some Years past. The above will be sold upon the Premises; where also at the same Time will be sold about 120 Acres of very fine Land, within about a Mile of the above Plantation. The above Lands and Tenements are taken in Execution at the Suit of Judah Hayes, and others, to be sold by

JOHN ALLEN, late Sheriff

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1810, *September* 1, 1763.

Boston, August 29. Last Thursday Morning died here after a short and painful Illness, the Rev. ALEXANDER

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CUMMING,[1] Aet. 37. He was formerly a Minister at the Presbyterian Church in New-York, after which he was settled in New-Jersey; and in February 1761, he was installed at the Old South Meeting-House in this Town, as Colleague with the Rev. Dr. SEWALL, who still survives to comfort that Church in the repeated Losses they have sustained. His Remains are to be interred this Afternoon.—*The New York Gazette, September* 5, 1763.

ALL persons indebted to Doctor Richard Farmer, are requested to pay immediately, and they that have any unsettled accounts with him, are requested to settle them; and all persons that have demands of any kind or nature whatever, are desired to make them, and they shall be discharged, as he purposes going to London directly. . . . . TO BE SOLD, the lot and house he lives in, being 20 and 1-2 feet front on Walnut-street, and 30 feet on the dock, and 90 feet deep: Likewise four lots and houses on Dock-street, each rents at 35 pounds a year: A lot and house in Chancery lane, between Coomb's alley and Arch-street, in tenure of Margaret Deer, at 24 pounds a year: A house and lot of four acres in Kensington in tenure of Caleb Evens, at 24 pounds a year; about £80 a year in ground rents in the city and suburbs; and sundry lotts joining Capt. Spafford's roap walk, one square below South-street. The tenents of the several ground rents shall have the preference, and for two per cent less than any other persons: Likewise to be lett for a term of years, the cleared part (being about 40 or 50 acres) of a plantation in Pilesgrove on Salem creek, west New-Jersey, about 26 miles from Philadelphia, the land is very good, just clear'd, and some meadow may be made, a new house just finished, good water, a young

[1] For a notice of the Rev. Alexander Cumming, see N. J. Archives, XX., 485.

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orchard, a shad fishery, and good landings on the creek, and may be enter'd upon immediately.—The Pennsylvania *Journal, No.* 1083, *September* 8, 1763.

TO BE SOLD,

A Plantation, lying on Newtown Creek, in Gloucester County, West New Jersey, about 4 Miles from Philadelphia, and 3 Miles from Daniel Cooper's Ferry, containing 250 Acres, pleasantly situated, and exceeding healthy, with two constant Streams of Water running through the whole. There are about 26 Acres of exceeding good Meadow, within good Bank; about 9 Acres of Up-land, which have been mowed; and about 100 Acres cleared, all within good new Fence; likewise about 115 Acres of exceeding fine Timber-Land, with a good Landing belonging to said Place, where Flats may go off full loaded to Philadelphia; the Landing has two Buildings thereon, one of Brick, the other Frame, in good Order, with good Brick Cellars to each House, a good Barn, Stables, bearing Orchard, and some Fruit Trees. The above Premises may be entered on the 25th of March next. For Terms and Title apply to the Subscribers in Philadelphia.

James Graisbury
Joseph Graisbury

TAKEN up at the Mouth of Alloway's Creek, two Scows; one thought to be a Mud-Scow; the other a Ferry one: The Owner of them, or either of them, by proving his Property, and paying Charges, may have them again, by applying to William Willis, at the Head of the above Creek.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1811, *September* 8, 1763.

Four Pounds Reward.

STOLEN out of the Pasture of JOHN TOLEMAN, of Second River, in New-Jersey, a black Stallion, with

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a narrow Blaze from his Forehead down to his Nose, marked with the Letters T. H. on his left Shoulder. Said Horse supposed to be taken by a straggling Fellow, named Abraham Bennet, who had on when he went away, a blue Coat with a red Lining, and scarlet Vest, a Pair of new Pumps and Brass Buckles: Said Bennet is a Man of about 5 Feet 4 Inches high, has brown Eyes, and a swarthy Complexion, very thin favour'd, with a pretty long Nose; and likewise is supposed to have stolen from Thomas Sigler, of the same Neighbourhood, two Gold Rings, a Coat, Vest, and Breeches. Whoever shall take up said Fellow, and secure him, so that he may be brought to Justice, shall be intituled to the above Reward, to be paid by the Subscriber.

JOHN TOLEMAN

Second-River, 5th Sept. 1763.

N. B. Said Horse was taken on Thursday Night last.
—*The New York Gazette, September* 12, 1763.

To the *Printer* of the PENNSYLVANIA JOURNAL.

SIR,

WHEREAS a report has been spread, That the Christian Indians, in New-Jersey, under my care, were many of them gone back to join the murdering Indians on the frontiers; this is to inform and assure the public, that such report is wholly without foundation; that these Indians evidently discover a great abhorrence of the perfidious and inhuman proceedings of their remote Savage brethren, and that there is not one of them missing, or that discover a contrary temper.

JOHN BRAINERD.[1]

[1] For a sketch of the Rev. John Brainerd, see N. J. Archives, IX., 355-6, note.

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RUN away from the Subscriber living in Hanover Township, Burlington County, near Iven's mill, a servant lad named Hugh Barkley, aged about 18 years; has short curl'd black hair, had on when he went away, an oznabrigs shirt, crocus trowsers with oznabrigs waistbands, an old thickset coat and a knit hatt; whoever takes up and secures him so that his Master may have him again, shall have THREE POUNDS Reward and reasonable charges paid by me

SAMUEL RODGERS.

—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1084, *September* 15, 1763.

Run away from the Subscriber, living in Kingwood, Hunterdon County, West New Jersey, on Monday Night, the 22d of August last, one Henry Cole, about 18 Years of Age, about 5 Feet 10 Inches high, slim built, raw boned, has large Feet, brown Hair tied behind, and is a talkative Fellow: Had on and took with him, when he went away a new homespun Olive-green coloured Drugget Coat, with Metal Buttons; a light coloured Drugget Jacket, half worn Leather Breeches, blue and white clouded Woollen Stockings, Pumps with large carved Pewter Buckles, two new Shirts, and a new Felt Hat. Whoever takes up and secures said Servant in the common Goal of this City, shall have Three Pounds Reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by me

ROBERT EMLEY or PETER ROBESON.

Stolen out of the Subscriber's Pasture, in Hopewell, in the County of Hunterdon, and Province of New Jersey, on Wednesday Night, the 30th of August last, a dun brown roan Horse, 9 Years old, about 14 Hands high, shod before, branded on the near Shoulder AL in a Piece, with some white Spots on his Neck, by Means of being

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galled by the Neck Yoke, some white Saddle Spots, his Mane lying on the near Side, a short switch Tail, trots and paces well. Whoever takes up the said Horse and Thief, so as the Thief may be brought to Justice, and the Owner have his Horse, shall receive Five Pounds Reward for both, or Forty Shillings for the Horse only, and all reasonable Charges, paid by

Abraham Larrows.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1812, *September* 15, 1763.

ALL Persons having any Demands, either by Bonds, Bills, or Accounts, against the Estate of Christopher Hoageland, late of Windsor, near Cranbury, in the County of Middlesex, and Province of East New-Jersey, Merchant, deceased, are desired to bring in the same speedily to the Subscribers at Millstone, in the County of Somerset, and Province aforesaid, in order that they may be settled: And those that are indebted to the said Estate, either by Bonds, Bills, or Accounts, are requested to discharge the same, on or before the 20th Day of October next ensuing, and prevent Trouble.

ALSO, On Wednesday the 19th Day of October next, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, will be Sold at Publick Vendue, at the Dwelling House of the above-said Christopher Hoageland, deceased, all and singular, the shop Goods, together with all the Household Goods, Waggons, Horses, Cattle, and sundry other Valuable Goods, too tedious to mention, belonging to the abovesaid Estate. Conditions of Payment will be made known the Day of Sale; and attendance will be given by

JACOB HOAGELAND } Administrators
PETER SCHENK }

Sept. 15, 1763.

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Margaret Johnston,

(Formerly the Widow CHETWOOD,)

WHO, for many Years, kept the Nag's-Head Tavern,[1] near the Bridge, in Elizabeth-Town, begs Leave to inform her old Customers, and Friends, that she now keeps a Public House near said Bridge, in Elizabeth-Town, in the large and commodious House lately belonging to the Estate of Colonel Peter Schuyler, deceased, commonly called the White House, at the Sign of the Nag's Head; where good Entertainment may be had, both for Man and Horse.

To be Sold at Private Sale,

By the Subscriber, living in New-Brunswick,

A Commodious Brew-house 70 Feet long, and 48 Feet wide, with all the Appurtenances thereunto belonging, being in very good Order; it has in it a Malt Cellar of 70 Feet long, and 14 wide, being an Earthen Floor, with a good Brick Arch overhead; the Copper containing 23 Barrels; in said Brew-house is a very good Malt Mill which goes with a Horse; also a Dwelling House 28 Feet long, and 36 Feet wide, with a good Kitchen adjoining the same, being 28 Feet long, and 18 wide, together with a Store-House 36 Feet long, and 21 Feet wide; with a very good Beer Cellar under the same, having a Brick Floor; also a good Barn 24 Feet long, and 36 wide, with 15 Acres of very good Land adjoining, 6 Acres being good mowing Ground, which in a good Season will produce 10 and 12 Waggon Loads of the best English Hay, the remaining 9 Acres being good Pasture Land; with a Stream of very good Water running through the same, which was never known to fail in producing a sufficient Supply of Water for said Brew-House:

[1] See N. J. Archives, XX., 320.

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Also 100 Acres of Wood Land, lying within 4½ Miles of said Brew-house: Also a three Acre Lot of choice good Salt Meadow, lying at the Mouth of South-River, about 6 Miles below New-Brunswick. Any Person inclining to purchase the same, may be supplied with two Negroes, who understand something considerable of the Brewing Business; also a good Iron-bound Waggon; Horses, Cows, and Hogs. For further Particulars, enquire of HENDRICK VAN DEURSEN, living on the Premises, who will give an indisputable Title for the same.

FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

RUN away from Samuel Henry, of Trenton, in the County of Hunterdon, and Province of New-Jersey, on Monday the 5th Day of this Instant, a Scotch Servant Man, named William Frazier, about 25 Years of Age, 5 Feet 7 Inches high, of a dark Complexion, with a down Look, bushy dark brown Hair. Had on when he went away, a short blue Coat lined with white, Mohair Buttons, with a Grease Stain from his Shoulder to his Elbow, a spotted Swanskin Jacket pretty much worn, a Pair of New Buckskin Breeches, a white Shirt, coarse Thread Stockings, a large new Felt Hat; he was lately taken out of Amboy Gaol by one Hill. Whoever takes up the said Servant Man, and brings him to the Subscriber, or secures him in any of his Majesty's Gaols, so that he may have him again, shall have the above Reward, and all reasonable Charges paid by me

SAMUEL HENRY

N. B. He has been some Time in this Country, but for some Misdemeanor, was put into the Amboy Gaol, and so became a Servant. If he be secured any where near New-York, give Notice to Gerardus Beekman, in New-York.—*The New York Gazette, September* 19, 1763.

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Custom-House, Philadelphia, Entered In. Brig Speedwell, P. Fortune, from Salem, Delaware. Sloop Ann, J. Picker, from Salem, Delaware.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1085, *September* 22, 1763.

Cumberland County, New Jersey, September 2, 1763

Last Week was committed to the Goal of this County, a Negroe Man, about 50 Years of Age, of middle Stature, and well set; he says he was born in Virginia, and belongs to Joshua Fisher, in Philadelphia. Said Negroe speaks good English, and says he is a Blacksmith by Trade. His Master, whoever he may be, is hereby desired to take him away, paying Costs.

Howell Powell, Sheriff.

September 18, 1763.

Run away last Night from the Subscriber, in Springfield, Burlington County, an Irish Servant Man, named David Brown, came in about eight Weeks ago, and pretends to be a Weaver: Had on, when he went away, a Cloth coloured Coat and Vest, either old Breeches or Trousers, old Shoes very badly sewed up behind, a lightish coloured Wig, and an old Felt Hat; he is of a middle Stature, and very much freckled in his Face. Whoever takes up the said Servant, and brings him to his Master, or secures him in any Goal, so that his Master may have him again, shall have Forty Shillings Reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by me.

Nathan Folwell.

N. B. All Masters of Vessels are forbid to carry him off, at their Peril.

To be sold by Way of public Vendue, on Friday, the 14th Day of October next, by the Subscriber, a Plantation, containing about 200 Acres of Land, lying on the

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South Side of Oldman's Creek, near Salem Road, in the Precinct of Penn's Neck, in Salem County, formerly belonging to Thomas Duel, deceased; there has been kept on said Premises a large Store of Goods these 30 Years, and upwards; there is a large Frame Dwelling-house, well finished off, with two good Rooms on the lower Floor, with a Chimney to each Room, and four Rooms on the upper Floor, with a good Kitchen adjoining, with good Frame Barn and Stables, and a good young large Orchard and several good Out-houses, and a large Landing on the Premises, on which there are some Thousand Cords of Wood landed in a Year. Any Person inclining to purchase the same, may apply to John Duel, or to Benjamin Thompson, living on the Premises.

JOHN DUEL.

To be sold by the Subscriber, a valuable Plantation, situate in the Township of Waterford, in Gloucester County, West New Jersey, lying on the main Road leading from Salem to Burlington, about eight Miles from Cooper's Ferry, and about two Miles above Haddonfield, containing 112 Acres of good Land, on which is a good two Story Brick House, well finished, with two Rooms on the lower Floor, and three on the Second, with a Cellar under the whole, a Well of excellent Water at the Door, and a good Frame Barn, and sundry Out-houses, together with a large Smith's Shop; about 60 Acres of said Land is cleared, and under good Fence, 6 Acres of which is Meadow, with a good young bearing Orchard, with about 240 Apple Trees, many of which is grafted Fruit, and a valuable Peach Orchard, and sundry other Sorts of Fruit Trees. Said Place is well situated for publick Business, and is very healthy. Time will be given to the Purchaser for the Payment of one Half of the Purchase Money, with giving good Security, if required.

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The Title is indisputable. For further Particulars, enquire of JOHN BURROUGH, junior, on the Premises.

New-York, September 26. JOSIAH HARDY, Esq; late Governor of the Jersies, embarked for England on Tuesday last, on board the Packet which sailed for Falmouth that Day. He was very respectfully addressed by the Corporation of Amboy, for the just Regard he had for the Interests and Rights of the People of that Province.

WHEREAS Andrew Leake, of the County of Somerset, and Province of New-Jersey, purposes to decline business in the Country, and remove to New-York. He therefore gives this Publick Notice, That he will sell all his Mills, Lands, and Estates whatsoever in the Province of New-Jersey, viz.

THE Mills at Bromley, where he now lives, with fifteen hundred Acres of Land adjoining, either together or in smaller Tracts, as may suit the Purchaser. The Mills have been lately repaired, and are in excellent Order: As are the Dwelling House, Store Houses, Cooperage, and all the Conveniences whatsoever; the Situation as good as any in the Province, a great deal of Business having been carried on there ever since the first Settlement of the Place, in the Midst of a fine Wheat Country, with the Conveniency of Bridges over Lamaton, and the North-Branch near the Mills; in short attended with all the Advantages one can desire in a Place of such Business in the Country, and about the Distance of sixteen Miles from the Landing. The Lands (of which 800 Acres are cleared, with Barns; Dwelling Houses, Orchards, &c.) are inferior to none, there being some Hundreds of Acres of choice Low Lands and Meadows, rich

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Swamps, great Plenty of Timber, the Upland clear of Stones, and extraordinary either for Grain, or Pasture. There are on the Premises some excellent Negroes, a large Stock of Cattle, Horses and Sheep, and all Manner of Utensils and Implements both in the trading and farming Way.

He will likewise sell another Set of Mills in Hunterdon County, about six Miles distant from the other, built about three Years ago, every Conveniency partly new and in the best Order; Dwelling House, Store-Houses, &c. An excellent Situation for Business; about 250 Acres of Land, plenty of Meadow, Timber, &c.

He has likewise for Sale, a Tract of Land near the Falls of Lamaton River.

Enquire of James Depeyster, Merchant, in New-York; and of Andrew Leake at Bromley Mills; or at the New Mills in Hunterdon County, where the best Market Price is given for all Manner of Country Produce; and all Sorts of Merchandize to suit the Country, sold at the cheapest Rates.

ALL Persons whatsoever indebted to Andrew Leake, either at his Store at Bromley, or at the Store of Leake and Van Court, where Accounts have been due beyond the usual Time of Credit, are required to make immediate Payment, to prevent Trouble.[1]

Perth-Amboy, September 1, 1763.

WHEREAS ELIZABETH LANE, Executrix of Henry Lane, deceased, did advertise certain Lands lying upon Ancocus Brook, in the County of Bergen, East New-Jersey; and tho' she has been inform'd by Order of the General Proprietors of said Province, that the Title is still in them, yet she still per-

[1] Also advertised in the Pennsylvania Gazette, December 15, 1763.

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sists in advertising the same. Now this is to inform all Persons to beware of purchasing said Lands.

By order of the General Proprietors,

JOHN SMYTH, Register.

—*The New York Gazette, September* 26, 1763.

BOSTON, *September* 19.

The London Papers say, that 16 armed cutters are cruizing on the coasts of Essex, Kent, Sussex, Norfolk, Devon, &c. in quest of the smuggling vessels; and orders are given to the commanders of the other sloops and vessels not sailed, to proceed immediately to their respective stations, to seize smugglers. And we hear that five of these vessels are to be stationed between Cape Sables and Sandy-Hook, as also a number to be kept cruizing off all the West India Islands.

SHIPS to be stationed in AMERICA.

At Newfoundland, a Ship of 50 Guns, 1 of 32, 1 of 20, and 4 Sloops.

In the River and Gulph of St. Lawrence, 1 Ship of 28 Guns, and 1 Sloop.

From North Cape to Canso, 1 Ship of 28 Guns.

From Canso to Cape Sable, 1 Ship of 50 Guns, and 2 of 20.

From Cape Sable to Sandy-Hook, 1 Ship, the Coventry of 28 Guns, and 4 Sloops, viz. the Fortune, Jamaica, Cygnet and Hawke.

From Sandy-Hook to Cape Henlopen 1 Ship of 20 Guns, and 1 Sloop.

From Cape Henlopen to Cape Henry, 1 Ship of 20 Guns, and 1 Sloop.

From Cape Henlopen to Cape Henry, 1 Ship of 20 Guns and 1 Sloop.

From Cape Henry to Cape Fear, 2 Sloops.

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From Cape Fear to Cape Florida and Bahamas, 3 Sloops.

At Jamaica, the Gulph of Mexico, from the Mississippi to Cape Florida, 6 Ships from 28 to 50 Guns, and 4 Sloops.

At the Leeward Islands, 5 Ships from 20 to 50 Guns, and 2 Sloops.

NEW-YORK, *September* 26.

JOSIAH HARDY, Esq; late Governor of the Jersies, embarked for England on Tuesday last, on board the Packet which sailed for Falmouth that Day. He was very respectfully addressed by the Corporation of Amboy, for the just Regard he had for the Interests and Rights of the People of that Province.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1086, *September* 29, 1763.

PERTH-AMBOY, September 17, 1763.

Yesterday our late worthy Governor JOSIAH HARDY, Esq; went from here with his Family to New-York, in order to embark from thence on board of the Halifax Packet, for England: He was attended to the Water Side by all the Gentlemen of the Place, who took this last Opportunity of testifying their Regard and repeating their Wishes for his future Happiness. His Behaviour in private Life, since the Arrival of Governor Franklin, has been such as to merit the Love and Esteem of all near him, who seem justly sensible of the Loss of so good a Man, and so kind a Neighbour. The Sentiments of this Corporation, with respect to his Administration, will best appear from their Address to him: The Sincerity and Truth of which there is little Room to suspect. As I don't remember to have seen this Address in any of the Papers, your inserting it in your next, will oblige

A Friend to all good Governors.

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To his Excellency JOSIAH HARDY, Esq; Captain General, Governor, and Commander in Chief in and over the Province of New-Jersey.

The humble ADDRESS of the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen and Common Council of the City of Perth Amboy.

May it please your Excellency,

We, the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen and Common Council of the City of Perth-Amboy, wait on your Excellency, to testify our Concern upon your Removal from this his Majesty's Government of New Jersey.

Although your Continuance among us has been but short, yet you have given such Instances of your Love of Justice, and Moderation, your Attachment to the Constitution of your Country, and just Regard for the Interests and Rights of the People of this Province, committed to your Care, that our Breasts are filled with due Esteem for your Excellency's Merits and Goodness; and with unfeigned Sorrow for your Removal from this Government, we return your Excellency our Thanks for the Countenance and Favour you have shewn this Corporation; and we take this Opportunity of making our grateful Acknowledgements. And as your Residence among us can be now no longer expected, permit us, with due Regard, to wish your Excellency and Family, Every Happiness you can hope or desire; and that others may be as sensible of your Excellency's Merits, as the People whom you now leave.

Perth Amboy, Samuel Nevill, Mayor.
Feb. 17, 1763.

To the Mayor, &c. of the City of Perth Amboy.

GENTLEMEN,

I am extremely obliged to you for the kind Concern you express to my Removal from this Government; and

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it gives me a particular Satisfaction to have merited your Esteem. You may be assured I shall ever retain a grateful Remembrance of the many Civilities I have received from this Corporation.

JOSIAH HARDY.

Trenton, in Hunterdon County, N. Jersey, Sept. 19, 1763.

Taken up and committed to the Goal of said County, A certain Zachariah Rigton, who says his Master lives in Baltimore-Town, by Trade a Mason, and that his Name is Conrad Smith; his said Master is desired to come and pay Charges, and take him out, otherwise he will be sold out for the same, by Samuel Tucker, Sheriff for said County.

A FULLER, that can be well recommended for a good Work-man, may find Employ in Lower Freehold, in East-New-Jersey; near Monmouth Court-House, by applying to the Subscriber, living in that Place.

Charles Gordon.

Cumberland County, New Jersey, September 2, 1763.

Last Week was committed to the Goal of this County, a Negroe Man, about 30 Years of Age, of middle Stature and well set; he says he was born in Virginia, and belongs to Joshua Fisher, in Philadelphia. Said Negroe speaks good English, and says he is a Blacksmith by Trade. His Master, whoever he may be, is hereby desired to take him away, paying Cost.

HOWELL POWELL, Sheriff.

FIVE POUNDS *Reward*

Run away the 12th of July last, from Abraham Hewlings in Evesham, West New-Jersey, A Negroe Man,

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named Moses, about 18 Years of Age, about 5 Feet 3 or 4 Inches high, and has a Scar on the upper Side of one of his Feet: Had on when he went away, An Ozenbrigs Shirt and Trowsers, a lightish coloured Cloth Jacket, with a Piece set in the Forebody, an old Felt Hat, and a Pair of strong Shoes. He took with him a Sickle. Whoever takes up and secures said Servant, so as his Master may have him again, shall have the above Reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by

ABRAHAM HEWLINGS.

N. B. He formerly belonged to George Keen, and it is suposed is harboured by some ordinary People; for, while he belonged to said Keen, he was concealed by a Dutchman near Germantown.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1814, *September* 29, 1763.

New-York, October 3. The Circuit Courts for the Eastern Division of New-Jersey, are appointed to be held as follows.

For Monmouth County, on the 29th of September
In Somerset, on the 5th of October
In Sussex, on the 10th ditto.
In Morris, on the 13th ditto.
In Bergen, on the 17th ditto.
In Essex, on the 20th ditto.

RUN away, last night, from the Subscriber, living in Springfield, Burlington County, an Irish Servant Man, named David Brown, came in about eight Weeks ago, and pretends to be a Weaver: Had on when he went away, a Cloth coloured Coat and Vest, either old Breeches, or Trowsers, old Shoes very badly sewed up behind, a lightish coloured cut Wig, and an old Felt Hat. He is of a middle Stature, and very freckled in the Face. Whoever takes up said Servant, and brings him to his Master,

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or secures him in any Goal, so as he may have him again, shall have *Five Pounds* Reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by

NATHAN FOLWELL

N. B. All Masters of Vessels are forbid to harbour or carry him off at their Peril.

New-York, October 3, 1763.

—*The New York Gazette, October* 3, 1763.

NEW-YORK, *October* 3.

The Snow George, of and from Dublin, bound for Philadelphia, Mr. Savage, at present Master, arrived at Sandy-Hook last Saturday, after a tedious Passage of 13 Weeks, with 120 Passengers, and the same Evening the Captain came up to Town, from whom we received the following Paragraph in Writing, viz.

"The 17th of August, 1763, Capt. John Bowen, of the "Snow George, and Mr. Armstrong, the Mate, about 6 "o'Clock, went on board the Snow George, of Dublin, "Capt. Crannel, in the Yawl, and at Half past 8, *P. M.* "the Snow being to Windward bore down under our Lee, "was hailed by us, asking if they were coming on board; "was answered by Mr. Armstrong, the Mate, that they "were, and ordered the Tackels to be got ready to hoist "the Yawl in; upon which the Topsails were laid to the "Mast, expecting their Coming, and continued in that "Posture for half an Hour, being close to the above men-"tioned Vessel: She made Sail, and not perceiving the "Boat, I imagined they had not left the Vessel; upon "which, with general Consent, made Sail after her, till "Day Light appeared; the Vessel being then out of Sight, "we put about, and made the best of our Way to our de-"sired Port."—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1087, *October* 6, 1763.

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Upper Freehold, (New-Jersey) October 1, 1763

Run away last Night from James Jackson, of Upper Freehold, in the County of Monmouth, East New Jersey, a Servant Girl, named Elizabeth Rainey, lately come from Belfast, in Ireland, into Philadelphia; she is about 17 or 18 Years of Age, of a very short Stature, very thick, full faced; much Pock-marked, and speaks very broad: Had on, and took with her, a streaked Lincey-woolsey Josey, a black quilted Pitticoat, two Pair of Women's channelled Pumps, not certain how many Pairs of Stockings, two Gowns, the one Calicoe, and the other a darkish Camblet; several Shifts several Gause Caps and Handkerchiefs. several Aprons, a large short red napped Cloak, with a Hood to it, and Gimp round the said Hood; and a Chip Hat.

Whoever secures said Servant in any Goal in this Province, so as her Master may have her again, shall receive Thirty Shillings Reward, and reasonable Charges, by me

JAMES JACKSON.

N. B. If she is taken up in or about Philadelphia, or any Part of Pennsylvania, the Reward will be paid by Andrew Steuart, Printer, in Philadelphia.

Made his Escape out of Trenton Goal, on Monday, the 3d of this Instant October, one Thomas Fowler, a Felon, about five Feet high, thick-set, Pock-marked, pretends to be a Limner: Had on a Kersey Sailor's double-breasted Jacket, with Horn Buttons, black Breeches, ribb'd Yarn Stockings, good Shoes, and complains of having a sore Toe. Whoever takes up said Felon, and brings him to Trenton Goal, shall have Forty Shillings Reward, paid by

George Brown, Goaler.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1815, *October* 6, 1763.

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NEW-YORK, *October* 3.

Extract of a Letter from Niagara, dated September 16, 1763.

"I have just Time to tell you we arrived safe at Niagara the 13th Inst. delay'd much on Lake Ontario, by hard Gales and Storms of Rain; next Day, had an Express from Little Niagara (a Post above the Falls) that our Convoy, with the Teams employed in carrying Provisions to Lake-Erie, was attacked; we sent off from our Fort a Reinforcement immediately, consisting of a Major and about 70 Men, which was followed by a Captain and 50 Men, an Hour after to support them. The whole of the Indians, by the best Account, amounted to about Three Hundred, divided into two Bodies, one of which, (*i. e.*) the most inconsiderable, was that which attacked the Convoy; the other lay in Ambush, about 2 or 3 Miles nigher our Post, near the carrying Place, and possessed themselves of a most advantageous Piece of rising Ground near the Road, to intercept Succours: On the first hearing of the firing by the Convoy, Captain Johnston, and three Subalterns, marched with about 80 Men, mostly Gage's Light Infantry, who were in a little Camp adjacent; they had scarce Time to form, when the Indians appeared at the above Pass: our People fired briskly on them, but was instantly surrounded, and the Captain who commanded, mortally wounded the first Fire; the two Subalterns were soon after killed, on which general Confusion ensued; the Indians rushed in on all Sides, and cut between Sixty and Seventy Men in Pieces including the Convoy; ten of our Men is all we yet can learn has escaped: They came through the Woods Yesterday. From the many Circumstances, 'tis believed the Senecas, has a Chief Hand in this Affair: I wish our Affairs at Detroit may not suffer by this, as all the Oxen

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and Teams on the Carrying Place is destroyed, and the Horses missing, which 'tis thought are drove off by the Indians; our Reinforcement came up too late to save them, so returned that Night, and next Day march'd and buried all they could find; most of those who came in are wounded; we are in a pretty situation. . . . .

Another Letter from Niagara, of the same Date as the foregoing.

"Most of the Provision that was in our Sloop, when cast away on her Voyage to Detroit, was saved, and the People under the Direction of Capt. Montresor, intrenched themselves, Captain Cochran, with 900 Men, was sent from hence to succour them, and take the Command. The Indians attacked Capt. Montresor in his unfinished Encampment, and after killing him three Men, were repulsed. The 12th Instant. Capt. McCleod, of the 80th, with 10 Officers, 200 Men, 2 Scows, and 20 Batteaus, set off in Oder, to join Capt. Cochran, whose Entrenchment was at the Catfish Creek, 12 Miles from the Mouth of the River. . . . . The 13th in the Morning, a Party, with a Serjeant, 20 Oxen, & 16 Horses, were sent off, and with them went, Capt. Thomas Johnston, of Amboy, and Mr. Stedman, our Sutler. . . . . At ten o'clock, Stedman returned on Horseback, and said, that about three Miles from the Landing, between two Bridges, in a Thicket, Sixty Indians, all naked, attacked the Party to which he belonged, and killed all but himself; and in deed on burying the Dead, we found he had not deviated much from the Truth. Lieutenant Campbell, who commanded at the Landing, hearing the Firing, took part of two Companies, with Lieutenant Frasier, of the 80th, Lieut. Rosco, of the Artillery, and Lieutenant Dayton, of the Yorkers, in order to succour our People; but he was soon also attacked, in a Situation so disadvanta-

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geous to him, that his Men could not do their Duty, and in a short Time the whole Party save two, who came in the 14th in the Morning, were either killed or taken; we imagine Mr. Campbell made a noble Resistance with a few of his People, as his Body, with several others, were found lying together. On making a Computation of the Loss, it was found, that Lieut. Campbell, Lieut. Frasier, and 78 Men of the Light Infantry, with Lieut. Rosco, of the Artillery, Captain Johnson, of New Jersey, Lieut. Dayton, and 8 Drivers, are missing, and also supposed to be killed, as we have Reason to think the Indians made no Prisoners. . . . . All the Oxen are killed, but no Horses, that we know, the Enemy having carried them all away."—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1087, *October* 7, 1763.

☞ The following came too late for our last Gazette

To W. Weyman, Printer in New-York.

SIR,

AS you seem to be as much a Publisher for the Jersies as any other in your City, and your Paper equally enquired for, I beg you to insert the inclosed. I am your obliged Humble Servant

A STUDENT.

Prince-Town, New-Jersey, Sept. 29. Yesterday the TRUSTEES of the College of New-Jersey, at their first Meeting since the Arrival of Governor FRANKLIN, presented him with the following Address.

To his Excellency WILLIAM FRANKLIN, Esq; Captain General and Governor in Chief in and over His Majesty's Province of New-Jersey, and Territories, thereon depending in America, Chancellor and Vice Admiral in the same.

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May it please your EXCELLENCY,

The Trustees of the College of New-Jersey esteem themselves happy, in this Opportunity of presenting your Excellency with their Respects, and begging that you wou'd please to accept their Congratulations on your Appointment to this Government; they only have to wish that a more early Day had been in their Power.

Your Disposition, Sir, to favour every Institution calculated to promote Learning, and the general Good of Mankind, is not to be doubted; and therefore with Pleasure we beg Leave to recommend to your Excellency's Patronage the College under our Care. We can assure you, Sir, that we have endeavoured to form it upon such a Plan, and to conduct it in such a Manner, as to make it of the most general and extensive Usefulness, our Idea is to send into the World good Schollars, and useful Members of Society. Your Excellency's Predecessors, since the founding of this College, have severally, in their Turns, been pleased to think it worthy of their Regard; which, with the Benefactions of the Publick-spirited at home and abroad, under the divine Blessing, has brought it to its present flourishing State. We hope for, and expect its Increase, under your Excellency's Influence.

The Governor of this Colony, for the Time being, by our Charter of Incorporation, is a Member and President of our Board; and we hope your Excellency will be pleased to honour this Institution by your personal Attendance in those Capacities.

Your Excellency has our most cordial Wishes for your publick and domestic Happiness, for your Peace, Comfort and Usefulness in the Administration of the Government of this Province.

RICHARD STOCKTON, Clerk.

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To which his EXCELLENCY was pleased to give the following ANSWER.

GENTLEMEN,

My cordial acknowledgements are due to you for this obliging Testimony of your Regard.

I am fully sensible of the Utility of the Institution under your Care, and have the highest Opinion of the Merits of those Gentlemen by whose good Management it has been brought, in so short a Space of Time, to its present flourishing Condition. If my Endeavours can any Way contribute to the further perfecting this salutary Work, you may depend they will never be wanting.—*The New York Gazette, October* 10, 1763.

TO BE SOLD,

At public vendue the 24th of October next, on the premises.

A Lot of ground with a good stone dwelling house, garden, stable, smoak-house, a well at the door; and other improvements thereon, convenient for a tradesman or shopkeeper, lying on the great road from Trenton to Prince-Town, about one mile and a half from the latter, being the place where William Worth lately lived, by Worth's mill on stony brook. Any person inclining to purchase before the day of sale is desired to apply to Samuel Worth, joining the premises, or to the subscriber at Trenton, and know the terms.

THOMAS WATSON.

—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1088, *October* 13, 1763.

Mr. Low's CATO,

RUN-away from Raritan Landing, October 3, 1763, being a middle siz'd Mulatto slave, born in this country,

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about twenty years of age, has a very wide mouth, bushy hair, (lately cut off) walks with his knees bending forward, his cloaths are a French soldier's coat, almost new, which had been white, but dyed, (not pressed) together with the lining of a brown colour, bordering upon the olive, a new vest, lin'd with white, which had also been made for a French soldier, both alter'd to fit him, with brass buttons, also an old blue coat, and old leather jockey cap, and trowsers of tow cloth.

He is an extream handy fellow at any common work, especially with horses, and carriages of almost any sort, having been bred to it from a little boy, and to the loading and unloading boats, a good deal used to a farm, can do, all sorts of house work, and very fit to wait upon a gentleman, speaks very good English and Low Dutch, also pretty good High Dutch; is noted for his sense, and particularly for his activity at any thing he takes in hand.

It is supposed he will endeavour to pass for a freeman, and get away in the country, or go with some vessel to any part, so as not to be overtaken; all persons are forbid harbouring of him, and all masters of vessels taking him on board.

Any person that will bring him to his master Cornelius Low, of Raritan-Landing, near New-Brunswick, or secures him in any of his Majesty's Goals, giving notice thereof, so that he may be had again, shall have ten dollars Reward, and more if it can be reasonably demanded, with Proper charges.

PRINCETON, (*New-Jersey*) *September 26th*, 1763.

Yesterday his Excellency our Governor, with the other Trustees, attended the *Anniversary* COMMENCEMENT of the College of *New-Jersey*.

The Exercises of the Day were introduced by a Short, Elegant, Latin Oration, pronounced by the President; to

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which succeeded a well composed Salutatory Oration, delivered by one of the Young Gentlemen of the Senior-Class; and then the following Theses were Maintained and Opposed by the Candidates for the Bachelor's Degree, viz.——The Preacher of the Gospel has the best Opportunity of exercising the Art of Rhetoric, in it's whole Extent:——That Ceremonious Behaviour, usually called Polite-Manners, is not vain and senseless Parade, but useful and necessary:——Brute Creatures Think, but have not Human Reason:——*Ars typographica plus utilitatis, quam detrimenti, veritati et bonis moribus attulit.*——*Necessitas moralis, lubentiae rationali nequaquam repugnat.*——The four former in the Forensic, the latter in the Syllogistic Way. The several Disputants acquitted themselves to general Satisfaction. The Entertainment was agreeably Diversified by two Elegant English Orations, one on PEACE, the other on REPUTATION, which were well pronounced.

A Beautiful Harangue on the Advantages of *Health*, introduced the Exercises of the Candidates for the Masters Degree. This was succeeded by a Latin Disputation on this Thesis, *Nulla simplex imperii civilis forma est quam optima;* which was Maintained and Opposed with great Judgment. A spirited Valedictory Address concluded these Exercises.

The following Young Gentlemen were admitted to the Degree of *Bachelor of Arts.*[1]

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[1]The following sketches of the Class of 1763 are principally condensed from "Princeton College during the Eighteenth Century," by Samuel Davies Alexander. [New York, 1872.]

James Boyd was ordained by the First Presbytery of Philadelphia, in 1770, and installed pastor of the Presbyterian churches of Newtown and Bensalem, Pennsylvania, where he remained for forty-three years, or until his death, in 1813. He was a Trustee of the College at Princeton, 1781-1800.

John Close was licensed by Suffolk Presbytery soon after his graduation, and immediately engaged in missionary work in North and South Carolina. Returning to the North, he was called and ordained as colleague to Rev. Ebenezer Prime at Huntington, Long Island, October 30, 1766. He was dismissed from this charge, April 4, 1773, and took charge of a church at New Windsor, New York, where he re-

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James Boyd,
John Close.
Robert Cooper,
David Cowell,
John Craighead,
Samuel Eakin,
Ezekiel Emerson,
Noah Hart,
James Jauncey,
John Lathrop,
Joseph Lyon,
Obadiah Noble,
William Patterson,
Topping Reeve,
John Simpson,
William Macky Tennant,
James Watt,
Simon Williams,
Joseph Worth.

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mained until 1796. He received the degree of A. M. from Yale in 1771. The few last years of his life were spent at Waterford, New York, where he died in 1813.

Robert Cooper came from Ireland. There is a tradition among his descendants that he learned the business of plough-making to assist him in getting an education. He was licensed by the Presbytery of Carlisle, February 22, 1765, and was pastor of the Presbyterian Church at Middle Spring, Pa., thenceforth until April 12, 1797, when he resigned, on account of ill health. The degree of Doctor of Divinity was conferred upon him by Dickinson College in 1792. He was a zealous patriot during the American Revolution, and often visited the army to exhort the soldiers to activity and fidelity. He died April 5, 1805.

David Cowell was born in Trenton, New Jersey, and was a nephew of the Rev. David Cowell. After graduating from Princeton, in 1763, he studied medicine in Philadelphia, took his degree, and returned to Trenton, where he practiced until his death, December 18, 1783. For two years he was senior physician and surgeon in military hospitals. In his will he left £100 to the College of New Jersey; and "to the Congress of the United States of America, one hundred pounds, if they settle themselves at Lamberton," a suburb of Trenton.—*Hall's Hist. of the Presbyterian Church in Trenton*, 291-3.

John Craighead received ordination from Donegal Presbytery, about 1767, and was settled as pastor of Rocky Spring Church, Pennsylvania. It is said that he fought and preached alternately. At the commencement of the war he raised a company from the members of his charge, and joined Washington's army in New Jersey. He remained at Rocky Spring until 1798, when he resigned his charge, and died April 20, 1799.

Samuel Eakin was ordained by the Second Presbytery of Philadelphia, in 1770. From 1773 until his death, in 1784, he was settled at Penn's Neck Presbyterian Church in West Jersey, but rendered himself so obnoxious to the Tories by his zeal in the cause of American liberty that he was sometimes obliged to withdraw. He was the idol of the soldiers. Wherever there was a military training, or an order issued for the soldiers to march, he was, if in his power, always there to address them, and by his eloquence would excite their emotions of patriotism to the highest pitch. It is related of him that he was so warm a Whig that he never entered the pulpit without imploring the Lord "to teach our people to fight and give them courage and perseverance to overcome their enemies." Mr. Eakin was an extraordinary man, and, next to Mr. Whitefield, esteemed the most eloquent preacher who had ever been in the country. See Johnson's History of Salem, 97-98.

Ezekiel Emerson, a native of Uxbridge, Mass., was ordained pastor of a Congregational church in Georgetown, Maine, July 3, 1763. He retired from the ministry in 1810, and died November 9, 1815, aged 80.

James Jauncey was the son of a prominent merchant in New York City of the same name. He married Eleanor, daughter of Sir Gilbert Elliott, in 1773, and was soon after appointed Master of the Rolls. In

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And the following Gentlemen were admitted to the Degree of *Master of Arts.*

Joseph Alexander,
John Archer,
Samuel Blair,
Enoch Green,
James Hunt,
Benjamin Rush,
John Slemons,
Jonathan Smith,
Amos Thompson,
Thomas Smith,
John Van Brugh Tennant.

1775 he was appointed a member of the Provincial Council of New York. In 1776 he and his father and mother were imprisoned in Middletown, Conn., as Tories. He died in 1777. His father retired to England, and died in London, February 6, 1790. See Sabine's Loyalists, I., 572; Records N. Y. Chamber of Commerce, Part II., 138.

John Lathrop, a native of Norwich, Conn., was for some months after his graduation engaged as an assistant teacher with the Rev. Dr. Wheelock in Moore's Indian Charity School at Lebanon, Conn.; and for several months he was a missionary among the Indians. On the 18th of May, 1768, he was ordained, and installed pastor of the Old North Church in Boston. At the opening of the Revolution, in 1775, he was compelled to leave his charge, but returned to it in 1776. In the meantime their house of worship had been destroyed, and he therefore accepted an invitation to preach in the New Brick Church as an assistant to the Rev. Dr. Pemberton. After Dr. Pemberton's death the two societies were united, and Mr. Lathrop became their pastor, in June, 1779. Here he continued till the close of his life. Dr. Lathrop adopted Unitarian views, but at what period is not certain. His preaching was practical rather than doctrinal. He was an ardent patriot. In 1785 he was honored with the degree of Doctor of Divinity by the University of Edinburgh. He died January 4, 1816.

Joseph Lyon was a descendant of Henry Lyon, one of the first settlers of Newark, in 1667, but who was of Elizabethtown in 1673. Capt. Joseph Lyon was an Elder in the Presbyterian Church at Elizabethtown as early as 1759. He died at Lyons Farms, August 26, 1772, in his 61st year. His son, Joseph Lyon, born 1741, and who graduated at Princeton in 1763, was an Elder in the same church for thirty-five years before his death, which occurred May 14, 1821.

Obadiah Noble entered the ministry and settled as pastor of a Congregational church at Orford, N. H., November 9, 1771. He was released from this charge, February 16, 1829, and removed to Vermont, where he died the same year. He received the degree of A. M. from Dartmouth in 1773.

William Paterson was famous for his influence in the Federal Convention of 1787. He was chosen United States Senator in 1789, but resigned in 1790 to accept the office of Governor of New Jersey, which in turn he relinquished, March 4, 1793, on his appointment by Washington to a seat on the Bench of the Supreme Court of the United States. He held this high office until the end of his life. Judge Paterson received the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws from Dartmouth, in 1805, and from Harvard, in 1806. He died at Albany, September 9, 1806.

Tapping Reeve was the son of the Rev. Abner Reeve, of Long Island, and afterwards of Vermont. He entered upon the practice of law in 1772, at Litchfield, Conn. Mr. Reeve was a firm and warm friend of his country during the Revolution. In 1792 he opened a law school, and continued to give lectures to students at law for nearly thirty years. In 1798 he was appointed Judge of the Superior Court of Connecticut, and afterwards was Chief Justice. His first wife was the only daughter of President Burr. Judge Reeve was a profound lawyer, and Chancellor Kent said of him: "He everywhere displays the vigour, freedom, and acuteness of a sound and liberal mind." He died December 13, 1823.

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Also the following Gentlemen, Dr. *John Redman,* Dr. *William Shippen,* Junr. *Francis Hopkinson,* Esq; *John Wentworth,* Esq; with the Rev'd Mess'rs *Benjamin Fawcett,* and *Job Orton,* had the Degree of Master of Arts conferred on them, as a proper Testimony to their Literary Merit.

The whole was concluded by an Ode set to Music, and a beautiful Poetic Dialogue on PEACE, to the general Satisfaction of a very Crouded, Polite, and Learned Assembly.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1088, *October* 13, 1763.

PHILADELPHIA, October 13.

Captain Brookes, from New Haven, last Friday saw a large Sloop ashore about ten Miles this side of Great Egg Harbour; she had a Round House, and white Bottom; and a Number of Hogsheads, as the Captain thought, was seen on the Beach.

John Simpson, a native of New Jersey, was licensed by the Presbytery of New Brunswick, in 1770, and for the two following years he preached at Easton, Pa. In 1772 he was appointed by the Synod of New York and Philadelphia to visit Virginia and North Carolina. He spent seven months in this missionary work, and in 1774 was ordained and settled as pastor of Fishing Creek Church, South Carolina. He was a bold and ardent advocate of Independence, and was in many conflicts and skirmishes, in some of which he was regarded as the leader and adviser. He had many narrow escapes, and in the course of the war his house, his library, his sermons, and indeed all that he possessed, were destroyed by the enemy. After the war he gathered his scattered flock, and for ten years prached to them. In 1790 Mr. Simpson became pastor of Roberts and Good Hope Congregations, in Pendleton County, South Carolina, where he continued his labors until his death, February 15, 1808.

William Mackay Tennent w as a son of Rev. Charles Tennent, of Delaware, and a nephew of William and Gilbert Tennent. He was ordained, June 17, 1772, as pastor of the Congregational Church in Greenfield, Conn. In December, 1781, he resigned his charge and accepted a call to the Presbyterian Church at Abington, Pennsylvania, where he continued till his death, December, 1810. Dr. Tennent married a daughter of the Rev. Dr. Rodgers, of New York. In 1797 he was Moderator of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church.

James Watt was in 1770 ordained and installed pastor of the Presbyterian Church at Cape May, N. J., by the First Presbytery of Philadelphia. He died November 19, 1798. Upon his tombstone we read, "If disinterested kindness, integrity, justice and truth deserve the tributary tear, here it is claimed."

Simon Williams came to America from Ireland. Three years after his graduation he was ordained pastor of the Congregational Church in Windham, N. H. He died September 10, 1793.

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List of Letters remaining in the Post-Office, Philadelphia

John Bartry, Cross-Roads. John Campbell, and Mrs. Callender, Cumberland County; Richard Crooks, West-New-Jersey.

James Casseday, Raccoon-Creek. Widow Donnell, Cumberland County; Allen Delap, Pilesgrove; James Esuft, Salem.

William Ewing, Cape May. Samuel Humphreys, Agnes Huston and Tobias Hendricks, Cumberland County. James Halliday (3) Salem

Rev. Robert Kelsey, Cumberland County

Thomas Logan, Baskingridge. Andrew Morrison, Cumberland County. Alexander Moore, New Jersey.

Robert Montgomery, Paxton. Pat. Partinson (2), James Patton, and John Park, N. Jersey. John Quigley, Cumberland County. Charles Richards, East New Jersey

Alexander Rea, Kingwood. James Stone, N. Jersey.

Joseph Thompson, Cumberland County. George Wood, Cumberland County. John Wright, N. Jersey.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1816, *October* 13, 1763.

New-Jersey, October 4. Saturday Night the first of October, near 10 o'Clock, a genteel young Man at Raway, in East New-Jersey, was flung off his Horse, and killed. His Death seems to be more dreadful, as he had been for some Time past at Variance with his Father. *The Promise of Long-Life, is to obedient Children.*

Several Robberies have been committed within a few Days past at Newark, Elizabeth-Town, and Raway. 'Tis said some Persons have been committed on Suspicion; and 'tis hoped Justice may take Place: Mean While, this should caution People to be a little more careful, as great Numbers of Stragglers, are about the Country.

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When we hear continually of the Depredations of the Indians upon the English; and every Government silent about either Revenge or Resentment, and no Encouragement given to endeavour to chastise those Savages ! Will it be a Transgression, to inquire, what is become of British Spirit ? or is it really from a Christian Temper of Forbearance ? Would to God this was indeed the Cause. —*The New York Gazette, October* 17, 1763.

Cumberland County, West New Jersey, Oct. 8, 1763.

Was Committed to the Goal of this County for want of a Pass, a Man about 26 Years of Age, in poor Habit, and says he was born in Queen Ann's County, Maryland, and that his Name is William Lloyd. If any Person or Persons, has any Demand on said Lloyd, they are desired to come to the Sheriff of said County, and pay the Cost, otherwise he will be discharged in five Weeks from this Date, with paying the Cost.

HOWELL POWELL, Sheriff.

Whereas one William Miller, of Hunterdon County, West Jersey, in the Year 1751 obtained four several Bonds for Ten Pounds each, payable, as therein mentioned, from the Subscriber; which said Bonds were for his Good-will for a certain Quantity of Land by him pretended to have a Right to, which Right proved to be nothing, and he now having the said Bonds in Possession, I hereby forewarn and acquaint all Persons not to take any Assignment on said Bonds whatsoever, for that I can prove them legally discharged.

SAMUEL LANDERS.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1817, *October* 20, 1763.

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NEW-YORK, *October* 24

A Schooner from Piscataqua for Philadelphia, loaded with Fish Oyl, &c. sunk last Thursday, about 10 Leagues to the Eastward of Sandy-Hook. The Crew came up to Town last Saturday Night, and took their Passages to Rhode-Island Yesterday in the Packet.

On Tuesday last we received the following melancholy Advice from Northampton County, viz. That on Sunday, the 16th Inst the Laghowexin Settlement, on a Branch of the Delaware, betwixt Wyoming and the Minesinks, was cut off by the Indians, when nine People were killed, and four wounded, one of which, and two Boys, had got into Upper Smithfield. That on Thursday last a Party of the Enemy rushed into a House in Allemingle Township, and tomahawked the Man, his Wife, and four Children, and a fifth is said to be missing. And that on Saturday the following Persons were killed in a Flat, going over to the Jerseys, viz. Stephen Brink, Garret Brink, Esther Brink, Peter Vangarda, Benjamin Raur, and a Negro Woman: Jacob Shoemaker, and Samuel Guin, missing. These People had moved their Families into the Jersies, but had come over to milk their Cows, and were on their return back again, when the Enemy fired on them.

And from Sussex County in the Jerseys, we learn, that the Indians have been seen in different parts thereof.

RUN-away last Sunday morning from on board the Burlington stage-boat, a lad named John Williams, (apprentice to Adam Parker in Burlington), he is about fifteen years of age, five foot five inches high, brown complexion, and short curl'd hair, about six months ago he escaped from the Indians where he has been prisoner two years; he had on when he went away a pair of buckskin

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breeches, an oznabrigs shirt, a brown short jacket and a silk and worsted one under it, an old beaver hat, black rib'd stockings, old shoes & white mettal buckles in them: Whoever takes up and secures said apprentice in any goal so that his master may have him again shall have FORTY SHILLINGS reward paid by ADAM PARKER at Burlington, or THOMAS STORY, at the Crooked Billet wharff, Philadelphia.

To be sold at the Plantation of Thomas Leonard at Prince Town, at publick vendue on Tuesday the 15th of November next, sundry houses and lotts of land in Prince-Town; also sundry lotts of land in said town without any buildings on them; likewise 12 or 15 Negroes, this country born, a large stock of cattle, among which are some fine oxen; likewise a quantity of sheep and some horses.

Credit will be given for the above till the 1st of May next.

Likewise to be sold by said Leonard at private sale, 2 valuable plantations, lying and being in Somerset county, East Jersey, adjoining Prince-Town, containing 260 acres each, for further particulars enquire of Thomas Leonard.

N. B. If the above Plantations are not sold, one of them is to be lett.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1090, *October* 27, 1763.

To be SOLD, by the Subscriber,

The IRON WORKS, known by the Name of Mountholly Ironworks, viz. one Forge or Finery, with three Fire-places, three Pair of Bellows, and all the Utensils thereunto belonging. Also one other Forge or Chasery, with one Fire Place, and one Pair of Bellows, with all the Utensils belonging to it, built for the Conveniency of the Hammer-man, where he meets with no Interruption from the Finers; both built upon the main Branch of Ranco-

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cus-creek, Water carriage from the Forges to Philadelphia; a large and compleat Coal-house, four good framed Dwelling-houses, three of which made for two Tenements each, for the Workmen. Also a large commodious Dwelling-house, convenient for a Store or Shop, with a handsome pailed Garden; and other Out-houses, all lying contiguous to the Works; with about 500 Tons of Bog Ore on the Bank, and 360 Acres of Land, bordering on the Town, and joining the Works, six Acres of Meadow cleared and fenced, and a great Deal more may be made, which would make a pretty Farm. Any Person inclining to purchase, may be informed of the Price, and the Incumbrances upon it, by applying to

PETER BARD[1]

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1818, *October* 27, 1763.

Philadelphia, October 27. From Sussex County, in the Jerseys, we learn that the Indians have been seen in different Parts thereof; and that the Militia of that Province are out after them.

New-York Second Light-House and
Publick Lottery.

☞ As a few Tickets remain unsold, the Drawing thereof will be postponed until the Fourteenth Day of November next.

New-York, October 29, 1763.

TO be SOLD by Publick Vendue, on the second Tuesday in November, at the House of Brook Farmer, in New-Brunswick, a Tract of Land containing 315 Acres, within a Mile of South-River Bridge, well timber'd, to be sold in Lots of 100 Acres each. At the Day

[1] See also N. J. Archives, XX., 184.

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of Sale a Draught of the Land will be shewn to the Purchasers, and a sufficient Title given by,

DANIEL LEONARD.

TO be Sold at Publick Vendue, on the Premises, on Monday the 14th Day of November next, A House and Lot of Land, situate in Connecticut Farms, near the Meeting-House, being very convenient either for a Tavern or a Merchant, as it lies on the main Road from Morris and Sussex Counties to Elizabeth-Town: The Sale to begin at One o'Clock in the Afternoon. If any Person should incline to purchase the above at private Sale, may apply to John Deheart, or John Chettwood, Esqrs. in said Elizabeth-Town, who will agree for the same.

Eliz.-Town, Oct. 25, 1763.

—*The New York Gazette, October* 31, 1763.

The general Assembly of New Jersey are summoned to meet at Burlington, on Tuesday the 15th Instant.

RUN-away on the 29th ult. from Robert Taylor of Greenwich township, Gloucester county, An Irish servant lad named Tully M'Vermik, about 18 or 19 years of age, middle statured, well set, brown hair, freckl'd and talks good English: had on when he went away an old hat, a snuff coloured thicksett coat, striped linnen shirt, blue plush breeches, pale blue yarn stockings, and new shoes with carved copper buckles in them. Whoever takes up and secures said servant so that his master may have him again shall have FIVE POUNDS reward and reasonable charges paid by ROBERT TAYLOR

N. B. All masters of vessels and others are forbid to harbour or carry him off at their peril.

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RUN-away from a shallop, betwixt Glouster point and Chester, and went on shore on the Jersey side of the river: Six servant men, viz.

JOHN MCKAY: Aged about nineteen years, five feet six inches high, of a black complexion, and wears a black wig or cap.

WILLIAM MCQUEEN: aged about twenty-one years, five feet nine inches high, of a ruddy complexion, and wears a black wig, or a cap.

CHRISTOPHER WEIGNER: Born in Sweden or Denmark, aged twenty-six years, five feet six inches high, strong made, wears his own hair, of a fair complexion, and speaks bad English.

J. DAWSON: Aged about twenty-two years, five feet nine inches high, well made, of a fair complexion, wears a black wig or cap.

ALEXANDER MC. DONALD: Aged about twenty-six years, five feet eight inches high, pitted with the small-pox, a brown complexion, wears his hair.

DAVID GRAHAM: aged about twenty-eight years, five feet six inches high, swarthy complexion, with short red hair. The first four have been some time at sea; the other two are by trade tin men, or pewterers; they had with them sailors new short blue jackets, lined with white flannel, and is supposed will go to New-York, or on board some vessel. They were all lately imported from Leith, in the ship Boyd, Capt. Dunlop. Any person that secures any of the said servants so that the subscriber may have them again, shall have TWENTY SHILLINGS reward for each, and all reasonable charges, paid by

ROBERT RITCHIE.

N. B. They robbed the shallop and took away their indentures. All masters of vessels are forbid to carry

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away any of the said servants.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1091, *November* 3, 1763.

TO BE SOLD

A Commodious Plantation, containing 210 Acres of Land, 100 Acres of Plow Land cleared, and in good Repair, 15 Acres of Meadow cleared, and 25 or 30 Acres more may be made, well timbered and watered, a new Stone House, finished to the Key, 31 by 21 Feet, two Stories high, two Rooms on a Floor, with two good Chimnies, commodiously built for a Country Store, where one has formerly been kept for a considerable Time, well situated in a good Country for the Business. Also a good framed House, with a good Log Kitchen, a good Cellar, and Granary, a good Frame Barn 36 by 26 Feet, 250 good bearing Apple Trees, the most of them grafted with the best of Fruits, plenty of Peach and other Fruit Trees, lying in Kingwood, a very flourishing Part of Hunterdon County, 25 Miles from Trenton, and 40 from Philadelphia, about one Mile and a Half from a good Landing, and excellent Fishery on the River Delawere, about a Mile from a good Mill, near a School, and differenent Places of Worship. The Title indisputable.

Whoever inclines to purchase the same, may know the Terms, by applying to the Owner, on the Premises.

Malakiah Bonham.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1819, *November* 3, 1763.

LIST of the fortunate Numbers in the *New-Jersey Third Provincial Lottery,* drawn at *New Brunswick,* in *September,* 1763.—*Supplement to the Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1819, *November* 3, 1763.

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New-York, November 7. The General Assembly of New-Jersey, are summoned to meet at Burlington, on Tuesday the 15th Instant.

ABOUT three Weeks ago, a Negro Man came to the House of Thomas Letson, at Black-Point, in East New Jersey: He calls himself *Sambo,* is about 5½ Feet high, speaks English very indifferently, says he belongs to one Allen; and is now sick. Whoever lays Claim to said Negro, and proves Property, may have him, (on paying Charges) by applying to the said Thomas Letson. —*The New York Gazette, November 7,* 1763.

TO BE SOLD BY
Robert Ritchie.

A Large parcle of Madeira and St. Michaels wine, by the pipe, hogshead, or quarter cask, the most part of the latter is above 3 years old, and of a fine quality, Jamaica spirit, muscavado sugar, and an assortment of dry goods, very cheap for cash or on short credit.

He has likewise to sell two stout likely negro men, at the upper ferry on the Jersey side, one of them is sawyer.

TO BE SOLD,

By public vendue, on the 12th and 14th Instant, in the Market-place at Burlington, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

A parcel of NEGROES.
Men, Women, Boys and Girls.

Two weeks credit, on good security, will be given by

THOMAS RICHE
or FRANCIS MOORE.

Prince-Town, October 25, 1763.

The Publick is hereby notified, that as soon as a com-

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petent Number of Scholars, offer themselves, an English School will be opened, under the Inspection of the President of New-Jersey College, and as an Appendage to the same; in which is proposed to be taught the English Language grammatically, and that the Boys, when found capable, be exercised in Compositions, as well as in pronouncing Orations publickly: Also, Writing, Arithmetick, and the practical Branches of the Mathematicks, by a proper Master or Masters; and in the mean Time, until this Scheme shall be ripe for Execution, such as desire, may be well accommodated at the common English School in the Town, now taught by Mr. Simon Williams, a Graduate of this College, who writes a good Hand, and has had long experience in Teaching. Gentlemen's Sons can be conveniently boarded at several Places in Town, and one Gentlewoman in particular, has taken a large commodious House for that very Purpose. It may be depended on, that all possible Care and Pains will be taken both with respect to the Morals and Instruction of the Youth.

S. FINLEY, President of the College.

—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1092, *November* 10, 1763.

To be SOLD or LETT,

A Saw-mill, together with the Lands thereunto belonging, lying on one of the South Branches of Little Egg-harbour River, within about 4 Miles of a Landing, where the Produce may be transported either to New-York or Philadelphia. Also to be sold a House and Lot, situate in Mountholly, lying in a convenient Place for a Storekeeper or Tradesman. Any Person inclining to purchase, may know the Terms, by applying to JOHN WEST, at the Old Ferry, Philadelphia.

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Made his Escape from the Constable of the Township of Deptford, in the County of Gloucester, in West New Jersey, on the 21st of October last, a certain Man, named John Boan, about 5 Feet 6 Inches high, well-set, of a sandy Complexion, and speaks bold: Had on, when he went away, a light coloured double breasted napped Jacket, wide Trowsers, Yarn Stockings, a Beaver Hat, about half worn, and wears a Silk Cap. It is likely he will change his Clothes, as he took other Clothes with him, but what Sort is unknown. Whoever takes up said Fellow, and secures him in any Goal, so that the said Constable may have him again, shall have Forty Shillings Reward, and if brought to Gloucester Goal, Three Pounds, paid by me

JOSIAH CHATTIN, Constable

N. B. All Masters of Vessels are forbid to carry him off at their Peril.

To be sold at public Vendue, on Thursday, the 8th Day of December next, at the House of Daniel Cahil, in Kingwood near the Quakers Meeting-house, a Tract of Woodland, situate in the County of Sussex, near a remarkable Precipice, called and known by the Name of the White Rocks, beginning at a large Black-oak, lettered WR, standing under the Foot of Pahaquala Mountain, and is Corner to a Survey made for Martin Ryerson Esq; and runs from thence along his Line (1) South 60 Degrees East 10 Chains, to a small Chestnut-oak, standing on the South Side of a Swamp, being one of his Corners; thence (2) South 50 Degrees West 80 Chains, to a Pine-tree, lettered WR; thence (3) North 33 Degrees West 32 Chains and 50 Links, to a Heap of Stones under the aforesaid Mountain; thence along under the same North 67 Degrees East 76 Chains, to the Place of beginning, containing 151 Acres, besides the usual Allowance for

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Highways; the whole remarkably well timbered, and watered, and it is supposed that 30 or 40 Acres of Meadow may be made with little Expence. Any Person inclining to purchase the same, may apply to Edward Oatley, in Hardwick, near the Premises, or to the Subscriber, where a Draught of said Land may be seen, and be informed of the Title and Terms of Sale. The Vendue will begin at one o'Clock in the Afternoon of said Day, where due Attendance will be given by

WILLIAM REA.

Also at the same Time and Place will be sold, by Way of public Vendue, a Tract of Land, situate in the County of Sussex, near a Place called Allamuchahockin, bounded Eastward by the Line of Partition betwixt East and West Jersey; on the South by Land surveyed to Col. John Hackett, Martin Ryerson, Esq; and others, containing 206 Acres, besides the usual Allowance; there is a Log-house and Barn thereon, and now in the Tenure of Daniel Maddox. The main Road from the Union Iron Works to Andover Furnace, crosses Part of the Plantation.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1820, *November* 10, 1763.

New-York, November 14. We hear from the Frontiers of the Province of New-Jersey, of the 6th Instant. That the Inhabitants are greatly disturbed by the Indians near Col. Van Camp's[1] on the River Delaware.

County of Bergen.

NOTICE is hereby given to all Persons, That in the Gaol of Hackinsack, there is a man whose Name is John Lavar, aged about 29 Years, and is to be sold out of the said Gaol for Costs of Suit, which is 14 or 15

[1] Col. Abraham Van Campen.

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Pounds, at this Time, and will be sold per Sheriff of said County, for a reasonable Time.

Isaac Kinsland,[1] Sheriff of said County.

TAKEN up as a Runaway at Cecaicos,[2] in the County of Bergen, at the House of Reiner Vangesen,[3] Esq; on Sunday Morning the 6th Inst. November, an Indian Servant Lad, aged about 16 or 17 Years, is 5½ Feet high: Had on when taken up, a Pair of old Tow-Trowsers, a white Flannel Under Jacket, and an old homespun Jacket, middling good Shoes, and a Pair old Leggings, and, as he says, his Name is Ben Jathro, and belongs to William Nicoll, Esq; a Lawyer upon Long-Island. Whoever comes and proves his Property to the aforesaid Indian Servant, at the Gaol of Hackinsack, may have him again, paying all Charges to the High Sheriff of said County.

ISAAC KINSLAND, Sheriff of said County.

—*The New York Gazette, November* 14, 1763.

FIVE POUNDS Reward.

MADE his escape the 8th inst. from the subscriber one of the constables of Penns-Neck, in Salem county, one William M'Groerty, (alias Groves) who was committed on suspicion of felony, he is a taylor by trade, about five feet eight inches high; had on when he went away an old snuff coloured coat with very short skirts, a blue waistcoat, high coloured breeches, black rib'd stockings, a good pair of shoes with square buckles in them, and long black hair cued behind. Whoever takes up said Groerty and secures him in any of his majesty's goal and

[1] For note on Isaac Kingsland, see N. J. Archives, XIX., 261, note.

[2] Secaucus.

[3] For a notice of Rynier Van Giesen, see N. J. Archives, XIX., 391, note. For Genealogy of the Van Giesen Family, see History of Paterson, by William Nelson, I., 264-272.

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gives notice to the subscriber shall have the above reward paid by

EDWARD MOORE, Constable.

RUN away, last night, from Samuel Hewes, of Greenwich township, in Gloucester county, in the province of West New-Jersey; An English servant man, named James Dobson, about five feet four inches high, of a fair complexion, with a cast in his eyes, a lightish coloured nap coat, with a claret coloured jacket, a pair of new buckskin breeches, new gray stockings, good new Shoes, with two odd buckles in them, with two letters on one of his arms. If any one takes up the said servant, or secures him in any goal, so that his master may have him again, shall have FORTY SHILLINGS reward, and reasonable charges paid by me

SAMUEL HEWES.

N. B. All masters of vessels are forbid to carry him off.

An Extract of a Letter from Capt. Bowers, of Hanover, dated the 6th Day of November, at the Head-Quarters, twelve Miles above Colonel Van Camp's, on the River Delaware, on the Frontiers of the Province of New-Jersey.

SIR,

"I arrived here with my Detachment of 90 Men, by Order of his Excellency William Franklin, Esq; &c. where I found 150 Persons, Men, Women, and Children, who were driven to this Station by the cruel Savages of the Wilderness; of these, fifty at least, lodge every Night in one small Room, in a very uncomfortable and confus'd Manner; in the Morning, they throw what Beds and Covering they have out of Doors in one Heap, which in

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a Sort resembles the Chaos before the Elements were separated from one another. These poor People, it seems (if ever there can be such) are the most proper Objects of our Commiseration, for they have been compelled to quit their *little all;* their Provisions, their Corn, and in short, their *whole* Dependance to be devoured and consumed without any Hope of Security: What can ever animate a Christian to unsheath the Sword, and bathe the same in blood, if the Distress of his Brethren by Reason of the inhuman Cruelty of Savages, will not ? And what will not the Noble and Generous deny himself of, that he may rescue such miserable Innocents as are daily presented to our view ? Every Time I see these piteous Objects, and hear their Lamentations, methinks I feel something within, that makes me uneasy without Revenge. Two Indians were seen on this Side the River Yesterday, by Capt. De Pue, to which he was qualified:——and what will be the final Issue of this troublesome Indian Affair, is yet in the Womb of Providence.——O may God grant Repentance to his People, that his Anger may be turned away, that we Perish not.

I am, Sir, yours, &c.

LEMUEL BOWERS."

Monday last the Revd. Mr. WHITEFIELD set out from this City for Prince-Town.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1093, *November* 17, 1763.

BOSTON, November 3.

The Surveyor General has appointed FRANCIS HOPKINSON,[1] Esq; to be Collector of the King's Customs at the Port of Salem, in the Province of New Jersey, in the Room of ANDREW DEWAR, Esq; appointed to be Collector of His Majesty's Customs at the Island of Dominica

[1] For a sketch of Francis Hopkinson, Signer of the Declaration of Independence, see N. J. Archives, X., 426-8, note.

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GEORGE HARDING

Is removed from Burlington to Mount-holly opposite Mr. Forquer's Tavern, where he still carries on the Trade of Leather dressing and Breeches-making as usual, and hopes for the Continuance of his former Customers Favours. Those who please to favour him with their Custom, may depend on having their Work compleated in the neatest and best Manner, by their humble Servant

GEORGE HARDING.

Run away from the Little Falls on Passaick River, in East-Jersey, on the 24th of October last, one Abraham Williams, a thick set Man, of a sandy Complexion, with red Hair: Had on new Shoes, Buckles, Stockings, Leather Breeches, a red Jacket, and a blue Great-coat, with white Metal Buttons. Took with him a sorrel bald faced Horse about 15 Hands high, paces and trots, with a lofty Carriage. Whoever takes up and secures said Williams, and the Horse, so that the Owner may have Satisfaction, shall have Fifteen Dollars Reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by

JAMES GRAY.[1]

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1821, *November* 17, 1763.

New-York, November 21. Tuesday last the Light-House Lottery began Drawing, since which the following Numbers have come up Prizes, viz.

No. 6078, 1000 l. 6847, 500 l. 8550, 500 l. 3268, 500 l. 8238, 200 l. 7566, 200 l. 9219, 200 l. 3936, 200 l. 289, 100 l. 3072, 100 l. 6836, 100 l. 5013, 100 l.—*The New York Gazette, November* 21, 1763.

[1] James Gray had an iron furnace and forge at Little Falls, where he utilized the water power. Having raised the dam, causing an extensive flooding of the lands above the Falls, the Legislature passed an act in 1772 providing for lowering it. Gray joined the British, in the Revolution, and his property was confiscated and sold by the State.

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LONDON.

Sept. 13. His Majesty has been pleased to appoint Samuel Smith[1] and John Ladd,[2] Esqrs; to be Gentlemen of the Council for New-Jersey.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1094, *November* 24, 1763.

RUN-away from the subscriber living at Reedy island, New-Castle county, an apprentice, on Friday the 4th day of November, at the county of Cape May, named David Foster, twenty-one years of age or thereabouts, a well set fellow, down look he has black strait hair, and is a talkative fellow of a swarthy complexion; had on when he went away, a red jacket, and a pair of blue trowsers, or red plush breeches, a flopped hat, and a new pair of shoes with broad rimmed brass buckles. Whoever takes up said apprentice, and secures him any of his majesties goals so that I may get him again, shall have FORTY SHILLINGS reward if taken in this county, or FIFTY SHILLINGS if taken else where, and reasonable charges paid by

HENRY TUDER, Pilot.

N. B. All Persons are forewarned of entertaining said apprentice.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1094, *November* 24, 1763.

Philadelphia, November 21, 1763.

TO be sold, and enter'd on immediately, a valuable Plantation right opposite and within three Miles of Philadelphia, in the Jerseys, lying on a Branch of Newtown Creek. There is about 200 Acres, and only not quite a Third of that cleared; One Half of which is Low-Land Meadow, and more may be made. The Wood-Land is exceeding, and known to be the best timber'd within

[1] For a sketch of Samuel Smith, the author of the first and best History of New Jersey, see N. J. Archives, IX., 394.
[2] For notices of John Ladd, see N. J. Archives, IX., 395; X., 224.

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many Miles, more being permitted to be cut or sold off of it for this 20 Years past, only what upheld the Fence. There is on said Plantation a Frame House, a Barn, and Stable, a good bearing Orchard, and a constant Spring of good Water within 30 or 40 Yards of the Door. The said Plantation has been an old accustomed Place to raise produce for Philadelphia Market, for above this 40 or 50 Years past; and has, or may, with suitable Industry, produce sufficient to attend said Market every Day in the Year. Any Person inclinable to treat about or for the above Premises, may apply to the Subscriber, living at the Corner of Arch, and Second-streets, opposite to the Sign of the George, and next Door to Thomas Maybury's Store, in Philadelphia, and know the Terms and Title, which is indisputable

JOHN NEWBY.

—*The New York Gazette, November* 28, 1763.

SIX POUNDS REWARD.

STOLEN out of the subscribers pasture the 7th of November inst. a likely dark bay horse, branded on the near thigh IVH has a star on his forehead, and a snip on his nose, his tail bobed and was shod before, he paces, trots and gallops. Supposed to be stolen by Jacob Johnson, a middle sized, slender made, thin faced man, his nose thin and rising in the middle, his complexion inclining to dark, he is well-dressed, and had a pinchback watch in his pocket, and is supposed to be gone towards Carolina. Whoever secures the above described horse, and returns him to me, or to Reuben Haines in Philadelphia, shall have THREE POUNDS reward and reasonable charges, and THREE POUNDS for the thief if brought to punishment.

HENRY BURR, Jun.

near Burlington.

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Custom-House, Philadelphia, Cleared. Sloop Abigail, Peter Groves, to Salem.

TO BE SOLD,

A Tract of Land, lying in Gloucester county, containing upwards of seven thousand acres, near a landing on Rackoon creek.

Another tract called Alford's neck, lying in Gloucester county, containing 757 acres, being very valuable, as the greatest part is capable of being made meadow. With several other valuable tracts of land in New Jersey, lately belonging to the Honourable John Alford, Esq; Boston, deceased. For terms of sale enquire of Edwin Shippen, jun, in Philadelphia.

Run away at Amboy, Henry Gorman, an Irish servant man lately from Ireland in the Brig Boscowan, a taylor by trade. Had on when he went away a whitish coloured home-spun old coat, a lindsey-woolsey jacket, old white shagg breeches, a coarse felt hat, stutters in speech, especial when drunk, had in his napsack a bluish ticking coat, an old holland flowered jacket, a check shirt and sundry old wearing apparell. Whoever takes up said Gorman and brings him to Philadelphia, to George Davis, merchant, shall receive THREE POUNDS reward and reasonable charges.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1095, *December* 1, 1763.

BURLINGTON, November 16, 1763

The SPEECH of His Excellency WILLIAM FRANKLIN, Esq; Captain General, Governor and Commander in Chief of the Province of New Jersey, Chancellor and Vice Admiral in the same.

Gentlemen of the COUNCIL, and Gentlemen of the GENERAL ASSEMBLY,

By the Papers which I shall order to be laid before you,

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you will find that, since your last Sessions, the Indians have commenced fresh Hostilities against the English, and even extended their Incursions to the Borders of this Province. Soon after the first Intelligence of their Depradations on the Frontiers of the neighbouring Governments, I directed the Commanding Officer of the Militia in Sussex, being the County most exposed to have his Regiment fitted for Service, so that he might either march the whole, or send Detachments, to any Part that should be attacked, or in danger: He was likewise ordered, in case of Necessity, to call upon the Militia of the other Counties for Assistance. Accordingly when the Indians had begun to ravage the adjacent Part of Pennsylvania, he sent a Detachment to occupy the several Posts which had been fortified on our Frontier during the late War. But as a Party of the Enemy did notwithstanding come over, and destroy some of the Settlers within the Limits of this Province; and as the rest of the Inhabitants of that County were thereby greatly alarmed, and apprehensive of Danger, I ordered Ninety Men from the Militia of Morris County to their Relief: And soon after, by the Advice of the Council, I reinforced them with Forty-five Men from the Regiment of Somerset, and directed the Fortifications at the several Posts to be repaired. Had not this Assistance been granted, there is great Reason to believe the Inhabitants would have abandoned their Settlements, and that Part of the Country become entirely depopulated, the Consequences of which are too obvious to need mentioning. . . . I have also empowered, Jonathan Hampton, Esq; to furnish the Militia which are now, or may hereafter be sent up to the Frontier, with Provisions, and other Necessaries. Both he, and they, place great Confidence in the Honour and Justice of the Legislature of this Province, and expect to meet with a proper Compensation for their Services.

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After all, Gentlemen, I am far from thinking that even if the whole Militia of the Province were sent to our Borders, they would be sufficient to secure effectually so extended a Frontier against the Inroads of Savages. A skulking Party of them will always have it in their Power, notwithstanding all our Care, to steal in unperceived, commit their Outrages, and retire with Impunity. Would you keep the War from your own Country, there is no Way so effectual as to carry it into that of the Enemy. By acting on the Defensive only, you give them almost every Advantage they could desire. They may uninterrupted assemble together from distant Quarters, settle their Plans of Operations, and take their own Time for carrying them into Execution. But if we were to send Parties of Rangers into their Country, to cut off the Communication between their several Places of Residence, surprise them in their Hunting and Fishing, destroy their Corn Fields, bring off their Women and Children, and burn their Habitations, we should, in a little Time, be able to oblige them to accept whatever Terms we might think proper to dictate. In short, if we would fight them in their own Way, we should find that an Indian War would soon be stripped of all its Terrors: And this, were the Colonies united in their Measures, would be a Matter of no Difficulty, as we could then with Ease furnish ten Parties for one that could be furnished by the Enemy.

These having been long my Sentiments with regard to the Method of conducting a War against Indians, it affords me particular Pleasure to have it now in my Power to lay before you a Plan of Sir Jeffrey Amherst's for "putting in Execution such *offensive Operations* as may "be most effectual for reducing the Savages, and securing "Peace and Quiet to the English Settlements hereafter." For this desirable Purpose, the General makes a Requisi-

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tion of 600 Men, to be raised, cloathed and paid by this Province: Arms, Tents and Provisions he undertakes to supply on the Part of the Crown. They, with the Troops that are to be raised in New York, and such Regulars as can be collected, are to be employed in punishing the Savages to the Northward, while the Forces raised in the Southern Colonies are carrying on their Operations against the Enemy in that Quarter. . . . .

The Plan proposed, Gentlemen, appears extremely judicious, and will probably, if well executed, be productive of the most salutary Effects. It will too, I am convinced, be a considerable Saving to the Province: For the frequent taking the Inhabitants from their several Employs, marching them to the Frontiers, and maintaining them while there, is attended not only with a great Expence to the Public, but a heavy Loss to the Individuals, who being many of them Masters of Families, their private Affairs must suffer greatly in their Absence.

Although the People of this Province have had but very little, if any Commerce with Indians, yet I think it advisable, on the present Occasion, that a Law should be passed forthwith, for making it highly penal to supply them with any military Stores whatever.

I have but little more, Gentlemen, to add on this Head. You must be as fully convinced as myself that, unless during the War we make these Barbarians feel very sensibly the Weight of our Resentment, any Peace, we may hereafter conclude with them, will be but of short Duration. Their seizing upon the Effects, and massacring the Persons of the Traders who came among them, upon their own Invitation; their murdering, in cold Blood, the Garrisons who had surrendered on Promises of Safety and Protection; and their butchering Women and Children, and even Persons who had done them signal Favours,

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are such strong Instances of their Breach of Faith, Treachery and Inhumanity, that they no longer deserve to be considered as in the Scale of human Beings, or indeed upon a Level with the ravenous Beasts of the Wilderness.

The Company in the Pay of this Province, which has been long stationed at Niagara, is, as you will see by the Papers communicated to you, greatly reduced. Part of them are now on their Return to the Province, and the General has promised to discharge the Remainder as soon as the Service will admit of it. Some additional Provision there will be a Necessity of making on their Account.

The Re-enacting (and amending, if requisite), the Law for regulating the Militia, is another Matter, that I must recommend to you as absolutely necessary.

Gentlemen of the GENERAL ASSEMBLY,

As I form my Expectations of your future from your past Conduct, I cannot admit of a Doubt that you will most chearfully raise the Supplies now required. . . . It would, I assure you, be with Reluctance that I should consent to lay any additional Taxes on a People, who have borne so large a Share of the Burthen of the late War, did I not know that their immediate Preservation made it a Matter of Necessity.

Gentlemen of the COUNCIL, and Gentlemen of the GENERAL ASSEMBLY,

You will, perhaps, when you have gone through the several Matters, I have now recommended to you, think it a convenient Season for engaging in the other Business of the Province. If this should be the Case, you may depend on finding me ready to co-operate with you in whatever may be necessary for the Public Service.

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New-York, November 24. We hear several vessels are ashore at Barnegat.

PHILADELPHIA, *December* 1

From Sussex County, in New-Jersey, we have Intelligence, that on the 17th Instant Capt. Wesbrook, with 11 more of the Militia, went over to the Pennsylvania Side, in order to bring off some Cattle and Effects which were left there by Persons who had deserted their Habitations: That about three Miles from the River they were attacked by a Body of Indians, who killed Capt. Westbrook, William Cartwright, Andreas Decker, Nathaniel Carter, and one Duncan: That six others escaped to Nominac, and a Person of the Name of Whealand is missing, supposed to be carried off, to give an Account of the Situation of the Forces on the River: That a Party of 150 Militia, immediately on receiving the News of this Disaster, went over to Pennsylvania, to bury the Dead, who found the Bodies of five of our Men most inhumanly butchered, and an Indian shaved and dressed in the Mohawk Manner, who was killed in the Engagement, the white Men they brought off and buried, and scalped the Indian: That the Party of Indians were thought, by the Persons engaged, to be upwards of 40 in Number, and 'tis imagined they were apprehensive of the Alarm spreading, and therefore made a precipitate Retreat, as they did not carry off the Indian that was killed, and left the following Things behind them, near the Place of Action, viz. about the Quantity of a Waggon Load of smoaked Beef and Pork, 12 lb. of Tallow, 2 French Guns, a Mohawk Indian Cap, 1 Blanket, 2 Belts of Wampum, a Scalping-knife, Looking-glass, Leggings, Moquasens, &c. And that it is the Opinion of the Inhabitants on the New-Jersey Frontier in general, that this Party were on their Way to that Province, and that if they had not been met, as they were, by Cap-

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tain Westbrook's Party, they would have committed great Damage that Evening among the Inhabitants on that Frontier, which it would have been out of the Power of the Guard stationed there to have prevented.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1823, *December* 1, 1763.

The Sloop Success, Capt. Badger from Boston for this Port, is ashore on Squan Beach.

We hear Capt. Cockran from the Granades belonging to Piscataqua, is ashore at Barnagat.

Custom-House, Philadelphia, Cleared. Sloop Thresher, James Bourke, to Salem.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1096, *December* 8, 1763.

New-York, December 12. Extract of Letter from Capt. Bowers to his Friend in Hanover, in Morris County, dated at Cole's Fort, 32 Miles above Col. Van Camp's, on the River Delaware, on the Frontiers of the Province of New-Jersey, November 20, 1763.

THE 15th instant I received a letter from ensign Walton, whose station was at the Shepecunck, 8 miles below mine, informing that 15 or 20 men had that morning been killed and scalped opposite to Normanach, 4 miles from the river, in the province of Pennsylvania. I immediately sent two men to get the best intelligence I could of the affair, they returned to me at ten o'clock at night, and reported that only 12 men went out, of which 6 were returned. I then marched with 12 men down to my next station, where I arrived at 2 o'clock in the morning, and at 6 crossed the river with 19 men, and was soon joined by Capt. Denike of Somerset, with 21 of his men, and others, to the number of 105 in all: We marched in Indian file, with advanced guards, till we came to the

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ground where the engagement had been the day before. We found five persons killed, scalped, and butchered in a most inhuman manner, three of whom we buried as well as the time and place would permit; the other two we brought down to Nomanack, and interr'd the same day.

The Persons killed were, Capt. Benjamin Westbrook, William Cortwright, Nathaniel Carter, William Duncan, Andrew Decker, (James Wilding, suppos'd to be made Captive.) These were going, with the six that returned, to a Place call'd Lacawack, forty Miles from the Frontiers, to bring down Cattle and Goods that were left when the inhabitants of that place were cut off, which happened about four weeks before. We found one Indian killed in the above engagement, and concealed under the trunk of an old tree, who was pulled out, and soon scalped by a brother of one of the white men that was killed at the same time. We found one Indian gun, two bags of paint, one scalping knife, and a large quantity of dry'd beef strung on sticks, and left in parcels at the place where we found the dead bodies. It appeared to me that the Persons killed made a valiant defence, and wounded many of the Indians, by the blood found in many places at a considerable distance from where the fight was. By the best intelligences, there must be 40 or 50 of the Savages; a Number one would think, sufficient to dishearten 12 Men.

I am, &c.

LEMUEL BOWERS.

—*The New York Gazette, December* 12, 1763.

BURLINGTON.

To his Excellency

WILLIAM FRANKLIN, Esq;

Captain General, Governor, and Commander-in-chief in and over His Majesty's Province of Nova Cæsarea, or

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New Jersey, and Territories thereon depending in America, Chancellor, and Vice Admiral in the same, &c.

The humble ADDRESS of the REPRESENTATIVES of the said Province, in GENERAL ASSEMBLY convened.

May it please your EXCELLENCY,

We, his Majesty's dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Representatives of the Colony of New Jersey, in General Assembly convened, sensible of the salutary Effects attending the early Measures taken by your Excellency, for the Defence of the Frontiers, return you our hearty Thanks for the Safety and Protection of the People under your Government.

To enable your Excellency to prevent the Incursions of the Indians, till a sufficient Force can be raised, we have provided for the Militia detached by your Excellency, also for repairing the Block-houses; and that the Militia may not be too much harrassed, we have passed a Bill for the levying Two Hundred Men, to be stationed as a Frontier Guard, and to relieve the Militia now there by your Order.

We have passed a Bill for continuing the old Militia Act, and also one for prohibiting the Sale of Warlike Stores to such Indians as do not now reside in this Government.

As to carry on, to Effect, any War that it may be thought proper to enter into with the Indians, the joint Efforts of all the Colonies must be more effectual than the most vigorous Exertions of any one or two, and the Occasion generally interesting, we must confess ourselves at a Loss to know why His Majesty's General should confine the Northern Part of his Requisition to this Colony, and New York only. And apprehending that the Defence of our Frontiers is as much as can be expected from us, until the other Provinces concerned in the present alarm-

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ing Situation of Indian Affairs are also called upon for their proportionable Aid, we have been obliged to postpone granting the Requisition, so far as it regards the entering into offensive Measures, for the present.

When His Majesty's Pleasure shall be signified, and the other Governments come into such Measures as the General may propose, for remedying an Evil that has long concerned the Provinces to know the Cause of, in order to apply an adequate Remedy, we shall, on our Parts, not fail to give our best Attention, and grant every Requisition that can reasonably be asked.

By Order of the House,

ROBERT OGDEN, Speaker.

PHILADELPHIA, December 15.

The following Clause is taken from an Act of Assembly passed in *New-Jersey* at the last Sessions, viz.

"Whereas from the late frequent Instances of Highway "and other Robberies in the neighbouring Governments, "and some Attempts in this, it is high Time that some "Measures are fallen upon, for the more speedy Detec-"tion of such Villanies, *Be it enacted* by the Authority "aforesaid, That it shall and may be lawful for the Treas-"urers of this Colony, or either of them, to pay to His "Excellency, the Governor, or his Order, or to the Com-"mander in Chief for the Time being, or his Order, such "Sum or Sums of Money as he shall think necessary to "offer as a Reward for apprehending and securing any "Person guilty of robbing on the Highway, or of Bur-"glary. *Provided always,* That not above *Fifty Pounds* "shall be paid for a Robbery on the Highway or Burglary, "nor above *One Hundred Pounds* for such Robbery or "Burglary where dangerous Wounds or Murder is com-"mitted."

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On *Monday* last *Dennis Kilsaye,* the Coachman of His Excellency Governor *Franklin,* who was sentenced to be hanged at *Burlington* for a Rape committed on a Girl about 15 Years of Age, was reprieved under the Gallows, upon the Recommendation of the Honourable the Chief Justice, and sundry of the principal Inhabitants of that City, who were of Opinion that some Circumstances appeared to be in his Favour.

For the Information of all the Inhabitants of the Colony of New Jersey, and others whom it may concern, the following Act, passed and published at Burlington, December 7, 1763, is made public by Order of the Legislature of New Jersey.

An Act to prohibit the selling of Guns, Gun Powder, or other Warlike Stores to the Indians.

Whereas several Tribes of Indians, for some Time past, have perfidiously made Incursions within the Province of Pennsylvania, and perpetrated many cruel and barbarous Murders on the Inhabitants thereof, and have entered the Limits of this Province, and as it must be, in the present Circumstance of Affairs, of dangerous Consequence to supply such Enemies with Guns, Gun-Powder, or other Warlike Stores, for Prevention whereof, Be it enacted by the Governor, Council and General Assembly, and it is hereby enacted by the Authority of the same, That from and after the Passing of this Act, if any Person or Persons whatsoever shall directly or indirectly give to, sell, barter or exchange with any Indian or Indians whatsoever (excepting such Indians whose Residence is now in this Province) any Gun, Gun Powder, Shot, Bullets, Lead or other Warlike Stores, every such Person or Persons so offending, being thereof legally convicted in any Court of Record, within this Province, shall forfeit and pay the Sum of Five Hundred Pounds, one Moiety

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thereof to the Informer, and the other Moiety thereof to the Governor or Commander in Chief of this Province for the Time being, and shall be committed to the common Goal of the County, there to remain Twelve Months, without Bail or Mainprize

And be it further enacted, That this Act shall continue in Force for the Term of Twelve Months, and from thence to the End of the next Session of Assembly, and no longer.

Run away on the 20th of November last, from his Bail, in Pilesgrove, Salem County, one Abraham Lord, about 5 Feet, 10 Inches high, Pock-pitted, wore his own brown Hair, pretty much given to Drink, and may change his Clothing. Took a little brown Mare with him. He was born and bred in Pilesgrove. Whoever takes up said Abraham Lord, and secures him in any of His Majesty's Goals, either in the Jerseys or Pennsylvania, shall have Three Pounds Reward, paid by

JOHN DUEL.

N. B. All Masters of Vessels are forbid to carry him off at their Peril.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1825, *December* 15, 1763.

To be sold by private Sale, any Time between the first of November and the last Day of December inst, a new Stone House, well finished, two Rooms on a Floor below, a large Entry through the House, two Rooms above, and a good Cellar under the whole House, with 3 Acres of Land belonging to the said House, near the one Half good Meadow Ground, fit for the Scythe, with a young Orchard, a good paled Garden on the same, situate on one of the most public Roads in the Country, leading to New York, Trenton, Prince town, Philadelphia &c. it being very convenient for any Sort of Tradesman or Doc-

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tor, a Doctor having lived many Years on the Premises, being in the Township of Amwell, about one Mile from Daniel Sebring's Tavern, and joining to Christopher Brazil's. Any Person inclining to purchase the same, may know the Conditions of Sale and Title, by applying to William Case, in Amwell Township; to John Van sicklen, jun, in Reading-Town; to Andrew Lake, near to Lemmonton Meeting-house; to Edward Wilmot, in New Germantown, or to George Andrew Verselis,[1] Owner of the above Premises, living on the same.

All Persons that stand indebted to the said Doctor, are desired to come and discharge their several Accounts by the 2d Day of January next, to save Trouble, as he intends to remove from the above Premises.

N. B. If the above are not sold by the last of December next, then they will be put up at public Sale the second Day of January following.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1825, *December* 15, 1763.

Our Assurance from Upper Minisink, East New-Jersey, is, that on the 15th of November last Capt. Silas Park, with 23 Volunteers, set out from that Place to go to Cosheckton, on Delaware River in order to bury the Dead lately killed by the Indians, and to bring off such of the Effects of the poor People that left said Place, as could be found: on the 21st, the Captain with all his Men, safely returned to Minisink in high Spirits, having been to said Cosheckton, buried five Persons found dead there, brought off all the Cattle and Swine they could find; saw no Indians, but say, that the Day they left the Place, they heard sundry Guns fired on the other Side the River, supposed to have been fired by the same Party of Indians

[1] For note on George Andrew Vierselius, see N. J. Archives, XX., 288, note.

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that did the Murder lately committed on the Road, near a Place called Lacawse. The said Captain could not pursue them by Reason of the great Quantities of Snow, it being at that Time Knee deep.—*The New York Gazette, December* 19, 1763.

Borden-Town, in Burlington County, New-Jersey, December 14.

HORSE and WATCH.

In the night between 12 and 13 instant, one Jacob Johnstone was brought before me Joseph Borden, Jun. one of his Majesties Justices of the Peace in and for said county, he having been suspected of stealing a horse, upon his examination, not giving a satisfactory, account of his late conduct, he was committed, and now is in the common goal at Burlington; there was in his possession when taken, a sorrell horse, 14 hands and one inch high, with a star on his forehead, near hind foot white, saddle spots on his back, light main and tail, good new saddle and double reined bridle. Also a large and very uncommon made Watch, single cased, washed with gold on the inside, and appears to have been so on the outside, China face, upon a pinchback dial plate, and the hours neatly made in blue; if the above horse and watch is not the property of the said Johnstone, the owner or owners is desired to come and prove their right, pay charges and they may have them again, by applying to

Joseph Borden, Jun.

—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1098, *December* 22, 1763.

To be Sold,

A Tract of Land, containing between 3 and 400 Acres, on George's Road, within three Miles of New Brunswick, in Middlesex County, East New Jersey; it is kind Land; well timbered, and upwards of 150 Acres of excellent

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Meadow may be made, with a fine constant Stream running through it, and a sufficient Fall for a Mill. Also another Tract, containing 3500 Acres of Pine Land, well timbered, with a fine Stream for a Saw-mill; and 50 Acres of Marsh, lying at Great Egg Harbour, within six Miles of the Plantation late of James Summers, Esq; deceased. On paying one Third of the Purchase Money, the Purchaser may have Credit for the Remainder, for any reasonable Time. For further Particulars, enquire of John Lawrence, in Philadelphia.

To be sold by the Subscriber, living near the Mouth of Rancokas Creek, in the Township of Chester, and County of Burlington, West New Jersey, a Lot of about 12 Acres of Land, the most Part of which is good mowing Ground, whereon is a good Frame House, with a Cellar under the Whole, a good Kitchen and Shop, a Well of good Water near the Door, with a Pump therein, a commodious Garden, lately boarded in with Cedar Boards, a good Stable and Hay-house, a good bearing Orchard, with sundry other Conveniences; the whole within good Fence; the Premises are situate in Moorestown, in the Township aforesaid, on the Road leading from Philadelphia to Burlington, and Mountholly, and is well situated, and convenient for almost any Tradesman or other public Business. The Title is indisputable. For further Particulars, and Terms of Sale, enquire of HENRY JONES, near the Mouth of Rancokas Creek aforesaid, or of JOHN COX, in said Moorestown.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1826, *December* 22, 1763.

STOLEN from the Door of Robert Hollinshead, in Kingston, on the 23d of November last, at Night, A brown Horse about fourteen and an half[1] high, eight or

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nine years old, shod before, is middling heavy, and paces, trots and gallops well, is a good Chair or Waggon Horse, and is marked in the back with a white Spot nigh the shoulders, occasioned by the working of a Chair saddle. He had on when stolen, a new small hunting saddle, with a chequer'd saddle cloth, and an old snaffle bridle. He is high on the Withers, and sunk in the Neck, occasioned by the Fistula having been cut out. Whoever takes and delivers the said horse and saddle to the subscriber, living in Somerset County, shall be paid the sum of Thirty Shillings; and for securing the Thief or Thieves, so as they may be brought to Justice, shall be intituled to Three Pounds more, and reasonable Charges paid by

SAMUEL STOCKTON

—*The New York Gazette, December* 26, 1763.

NEW YORK, December 19.

The Week before last, an Inhabitant of Minisink, being a Hunting for Deer, on the West Side of Delaware, fell in with a single Indian: They espied each other almost at an Instant, immediately tree'd, and after exchanging several Shot, the Indian imagined he had wounded his Antagonist, and rushed in upon him with his Tomahawk; but the White Man, after receiving two desperate Wounds from the Indian, knock'd his Brains out with the End of his Musket, cut his Head off, and brought it home in Triumph.

Custom-House, Port of Salem, New Jersey, Dec. 26, 1763.

WHEREAS it has been represented to the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, that many Vessels, trading to Plantations not belonging to the King of Great Britain, and returning with Cargoes of Rum, Sugar and Molasses, have found Means to smuggle the

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same into His Majesty's Plantations, without paying the King's Duty: This is to inform all Masters of Vessels using the said Trade, that they are hereby strictly required, on their Arrival here, to enter or report their Ships and Cargoes at the Custom-House, when proper Officers will be put on board such Vessels, to see that the Act of the Sixth of His late Majesty, King GEORGE the Second (imposing a Duty on all foreign Rum, Sugar and Molasses) be in all its Parts fully carried into Execution.[1]

By Order of the Surveyor-General,

Francis Hopkinson, Collector.

For the Benefit of Trade and Commerce.

General Post-Office, Woodbridge, January 2, 1764.

THIS Day at 1 o'Clock, a Post Rider with the Mail for Philadelphia sets out from New-York Post Office,[2] for the first Time, in order that the Stage between those two Cities, may be performed three Times in a Week, if Weather permits, by which Means Letters will pass from one to the other in less than 24 Hours. The Mail is to reach Philadelphia on Tuesday, and to return to New-York before Wednesday Noon; to be discharged again from New-York Office at 1 o'Clock on Wednesday, and to be at Philadelphia on Thursday; It is to be at New-York again on Friday, and at Philadelphia on Saturday; and so to continue Weekly till further Orders.

By Order of the Post-Masters General

JAMES PARKER, Comptroller.

—*The New York Mercury, January 2*, 1764.

[1] A similar notice was published by Charles Read, Collector of the Port of Burlington, under date of December 26, 1763, in *The Pennsylvania Gazette* of January 5, 1764.

[2] It will be observed that New York and Philadelphia were merely local post-offices, receiving concessions from the General Post-Office at Woodbridge.

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To be sold, or let for a term of years, and may be entered on the 25th of March next: A plantation, or tract of land situate in the county of Salem, West-Jersey, about two miles from navigable water on Alloes creek, containing about 330 acres, about 100 thereof clear and under good fence, 30 of which is mowable meadow, and a large quantity more may be made, with an orchard of good fruit trees: The whole exceedingly well timber'd and water'd with a spring never known dry within a few perches of the house. For terms apply to Samuel Purviance in Front-street, Philadelphia near the draw bridge. —*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1100, *January* 5, 1764.

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At a Supreme Court of Judicature, held at the City of Burlington, for the Province of New-Jersey, in the Term of November last, it was ordered that a copy of the following Rule of the said Supreme Court, made in the Term of November, Anno Dom. 1754, should be inserted in one of the Public Gazettes of New-York and Philadelphia; viz.

SEVERAL of the Sheriffs of the respective Counties within this Province of New-Jersey, not having attended by themselves or their Deputies, pursuant to a Rule of this Court, and neglecting to pay any Obedience thereto, it is ordered by the Court, that the several Sheriffs of the respective Counties within this Province, attend either by themselves, or their lawful Deputies, on the first Day in every Term of the Supreme Court of Judicature, held for the Province of New Jersey, at the Cities of Perth Amboy and Burlington, and that upon Non-attendance as above, an Attachment immediately do issue for a Contempt.

A true Copy from the Minutes of Court,

CHARLES READ, Clerk

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To be SOLD by

BENJAMIN COOPER,

At the Andover Iron Works, in the County of Sussex, and Province of West-New-Jersey, the following Lands, viz.

ONE Tract containing 469 Acres, of which 372 Acres are of Upland, well timbered, and 97 Acres of excellent natural Meadow, known by the Name of Pochuck Meadows, thro' which runs a Stream sufficient to supply a Forge or Grist-mill, situate on the South-west Side of the drowned lands, about eight Miles from Goshen in Orange County, and Province of New York, and 21 Miles from New-Windsor, on the North River, which would make the Carriage convenient to New York for any Person purchasing the same, that should think proper to build a Forge or Grist-mill thereon; it also lies about 26 Miles from Andover Iron Works, and 12 Miles from Sterling Iron Works, from whence a Sufficiency of Pig-iron may be always had to supply a Forge. Also one Tract in the County of Sussex, containing five Acres, lying on the East Side of the Wall Kiln, about 3 Miles from Marsh's Saw-mill, and 12 Miles from Andover Furnace, of which are between 60 and 70 Acres of good Swamp, fit for Cultivation, and the rest well timbered, a great Part thereof may be easily brought into good Meadow. Any Person inclinable to purchase the above Lands, must apply to the said Benjamin Cooper before the first Day of May next, as he intends to set out then for London.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1828, *January* 5, 1764.

New-York, January 9. We hear from Elizabeth-Town, New-Jersey, that the House of one Mr. Thomas, of that

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Place, was burnt to the Ground last Thursday Night, thro' the Carelessness of a Negro belonging to the Family.

List of Letters remaining in the Post-Office, New-York, Jan. 5, 1764. . . . . John King, Somerset County; James and Andrew Small, Shrewsbury; The Rev. Mr. William Tennet,[1] Freehold.

SCHEME
OF A
LOTTERY,
For the USE of
The College of New-Jersey.

THE Legislature of the Colony of New-Jersey, having been pleased to countenance this rising Seat of Learning, so far as to pass an Act, enabling the Trustees to erect and draw a Lottery, for raising any Sum, not exceeding Three Thousand Pounds, Proclamation Money; it is hoped, that the generous Design in making this Law, will be carried into Execution, by all those who wish well to the Institution, or who are desirous of promoting useful Knowledge in these Infant Countries, and preparing our own Youth to sustain the publick Offices in Church and State. The following Scheme is calculated for raising the Sum of Two Thousand Nine Hundred and Ninety-nine Pounds Eighteen Shillings and Six Pence Proclamation Money: There are to be 13333 Tickets, at Thirty Shillings each, whereof 4488 will be fortunate, subject to 15 per Cent. Deduction, viz.

[1] The famous William Tennent.

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Numb. of Prizes.		Value of each.		Total Value
1	of	£1000	is	£1000
1	of	750	is	750
1	of	500	is	500
4	of	200	are	800
10	of	100	are	1000
20	of	50	are	1000
50	of	20	are	1000
100	of	10	are	1000
4299	of	3	are	12897
1	First drawn	20	is	20
1	Last drawn	32.10	is	32.10

4488 Prizes.
8845 Blanks.

13333 Tickets, at Thirty Shillings each, is £19999.10

So that it is evident there are not Two Blanks to a Prize. The Drawing is to begin on the fourth Day of April next, at Nassau-Hall, in Princetown, or as soon before as the Lottery is filled; under the Inspection of three of the Trustees of the College. Robert Ogden, and William Peartree Smith, Esqrs. of Elizabeth Town; Jonathan Sergeant, Esq; of Maidenhead, and Mr. Ezekiel Forman, Merchant, of Princetown, are appointed Managers, and will be under Oath for the faithful Execution of their Trust.

Tickets may be had of the several Managers, and of Theunis Dey, Esq; in the County of Bergen; Dr. Samuel Tuttle, at Morris-Town; John Ogden, and Nehemiah Baldwin, Esqrs, and Mr. William Camp, at Newark; Mr. Joseph Woodruff, at Elizabeth-Town; James Parker, Esq; at Woodbridge; John Johnson, Esq; at Perth Am-

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boy; John Taylor, Esq; at Middletown; Mr. James Robinson, at Freehold; John Wetheril, Esq; near Cranbury; James Hude, Esq; at New-Brunswick; Hendrick Fisher, Esq; near Bound Brook; William Thompson, Esq; and Mr. Peter Schenck, at Millstone; Richard Stockton, Esq; and Mr. Jonathan Baldwin, at Princetown; George Reading, Esq; at Amwell; John Hart, Esq; at Hopewell; John Hackett, Esq; at the Union Iron-Works; Samuel Tucker, Esq; at Trenton; the Hon. John Ladd, Esq; at Gloucester; Edward Keasby, Esq; at Salem; William Patterson, Esq; at Christine-Bridge; Mr. David Steuart, at Reedy Island; Elihu Hall, Esq; at Octarara, Cecil County; and Col. Peter Bayard, at Bohemia.—*The New York Mercury, January* 9, 1764.

BOSTON and PHILADELPHIA RUM,
BOHEA TEA,
by the chest; and
CAROLINA LEATHER,
to be sold by
REED and PETTIT,

ALSO, a strong, active, country born Negro boy, about eleven years of age; has had the small-pox, and is on sale for want of employ only. Enquire of Andrew Reed, at Trenton.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1101, *January* 12, 1764.

NEW-YORK, *January* 5.

The Reverend SAMUEL FINLEY, President of the College of New-Jersey, has lately received the Degree of *Doctor in Divinity,* from the University of Glasgow.

HENRY MILLER,

PRINTER in *Second-Street,* between *Race* and *Vine-Streets*

Begs leave to acquaint the public, that every Monday

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he publishes a German News-Paper, which circulates not only through all Pennsylvania, but likewise goes to Georgia, South and North Carolina, Virginia, Maryland, the Jerseys, New York, Albany, up to the Mohawk river, Nova Scotia, and the West-Indies. Such gentlemen and others, in town and country, who will be pleased to favour him with the insertion of their Advertisements, may depend on having them truly and idiomatically translated gratis.

He also takes this public opportunity gratefully to acknowledge the encouragement given to his paper both by the town and country, from the first publication thereof two years ago; and humbly begs the further continuance of his kind customers favours, assuring them that their orders shall at all times be punctually obeyed by

their obliged and humble servant,

HENRY MILLER.

N. B. He likewise performs all sorts of printing-work in any language correct and neatly.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1101, *January* 12, 1764.

Stolen out of Thomas Cocks's Stable, in Somerset County, near the Stone Tavern, on Brunswick Road, the 31st Day of December last, at Night, a sorrel Mare, about 15 Hands high or upwards, newly trimmed, has a Star in her Forehead, that comes down as low as her Foretop, no Brand nor Mark, smooth shod before with new Shoes. Whoever takes up said Mare, and brings her to the Subscriber, or secures her, so that he may have her again, shall have Four Pounds Reward, and all reasonable Charges, paid by

THOMAS COCKS.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1829, *January* 12, 1764.

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New-York, January 16. The horrid Massacre committed upon the Conestagoe Indians, settled in Lancaster County, though under the immediate Protection of the Magistrates, having greatly alarm'd the other Indians (who at their own Request were lately removed from the Frontiers of that Province, and settled by Order of the Government, on the Province Island, and other Places, near the City of Philadelphia) and filled them with apprehensions of the Fate of the Conestagoes. We hear they are desirous to return to their Friends, or former Habitations, and that on their Application, the Government appointed them Guides, and directed their Rout thro' the Province of New-Jersey and New-York, giving them recommendatory Letters to those Governments for safe Passage and Assistance; with which they, 140 in Number, immediately set out and proceeded as far as Elizabeth-Town, New-Jersey: But it is reported, that no previous Notice having been sent to this Government, Messengers are dispatch'd, by Remonstrance, to prevent their Entrance into it, and if they persist, to give immediate Notice. Many People apprehend fatal Consequences, should these Indians at this Time, under such well grounded Apprehensions, and with such shocking Ideas of the Justice, Humanity and Protection they may expect in an English Government, return and mix with the Indians now at War with us.

We are told the above Party of Indians are now at Amboy, under an Escort of a Party of Highlanders.—*The New York Mercury, January* 16, 1764.

Kingwood, January 7, 1764.

WILLIAM AREY, New Jersey Post Rider, hereby informs his Subscribers, that he has rid for Six Months past, and desires such of them as have not yet paid their Subscriptions to leave it at the several Stages where their

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Papers are left, which will enable him to continue in their Employ, and oblige their humble Servant

WILLIAM AREY.

DROPT by said Arey, on the 29th of December last, between Philadelphia and Mr. John Razer's, on the Old York Road, a black Leather Pocket-book, containing about Thirty Shillings in Paper Money, with some Letters and Receipts. Whoever has found the same, and will bring it to the New-Printing-Office, in Philadelphia, shall be handsomely rewarded.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1830, *January* 19, 1764.

New-York, January 23. On Thursday the 5th inst. three Soldiers insisting on the Ferrymen's going over through the Ice with them, at New-Brunswick, in breaking the Ice the Skiff got fast, and in endeavouring to get loose, one of them fell through, and was directly carried under the Ice, and lost. The others got ashore with some Difficulty.

To all whom these Presents may concern; and particularly to such as claim any Interest in the common Lands of the Township of Bergen, in the County of Bergen, in the Eastern Division of the Province of New-Jersey;

WHEREAS by a late Law of the said Province, *entitled,* An Act, appointing Commissioners for finally settling and determining the several Rights, Titles, and Claims to the common Lands of the Township of Bergen; and for making a Partition thereof in just and equitable Proportions among those who shall be adjudged by the said Commissioners to be intitled to the same; certain Persons are therein named as Commissioners, of whom we the Subscribers are the major Part: And whereas we have severally taken the Oath by the said Act

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required; now therefore towards the Execution of the Trust in the said Commissioners, or the major Part of them reposed; we the Subscribers do hereby give publick Notice, that at ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, of Tuesday the sixth Day of March next, at the House of Stephen Bourdett, at Wehaken, in the said Township of Bergen, we, or a Majority of the said Commissioners, will meet to survey, run-out and ascertain as well the Bounds and Limits of the said Township of Bergen, as the Bounds of each and every Patent and Grant contained within the Bounds and Limits of the said Township; and we do also request all Persons concerned or claiming Lands within the said Township, to produce to us, some or one of us their original Patents, Deeds or Grants, or true attested Office Copies thereof, with all convenient Speed, that we may be truly informed of their Rights and Claims in due Season; and also Copies of all such Title Deeds whereon any Claims are grounded against the Extent of the general Bounds of the said Township: And all these we desire to have on or before the Twenty-first Day of February next. Given under our Hands the eighteen Day of January, in the Year of our Lord, One Thousand Seven Hundred and Sixty four.

WILLIAM DONALDSON.
AZ. DUNHAM.
JOHN BERRIAN
ABRAHAM CLARK, Jun.

WHEREAS

The Partnership between Hetfield and Blanchard, of Elizabeth-Town, in New-Jersey, expired on the first Day of January Instant; all Persons that are any way concerned with said Partnership, are desired to send in their Accounts that they may be adjusted; and those indebted, are desired very speedily to discharge the same.

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To be Sold,

A Plantation in Summerset County, in New-Jersey, containing about 200 Acres of good Land, 150 of which is cleared, the rest is good Wood Land. There is on the said Farm a good Stone House, a large Dutch Barn, two frame Barracks, a sufficient Quantity of good Meadow Ground, a good Spring in each Field: The said Farm adjoins the great Road within one Mile of Andrew Leake's Mills, where is a good Market for all Sorts of Country Produce; and also within Half a Mile of a Meeting House. Any Person inclining to purchase, may apply to Anne Henry, on the Premises, where a good Title may be had.

Deserted from the Sheriff of Summerset County, in New-Jersey, a High Dutch Man, this Country Born, a Cooper by Trade: He is a likely well built Man, about five Feet eight Inches high; fair coloured Hair, red Beard, pale Face; wore when he went away, a light colour'd Coat, a blue great Coat, and Leather Breeches; he is supposed to be gone to New-York; his Name is Jacob Tostbinder. Whoever takes up said Jacob Tostbinder, and secures him so that said Sheriff may have him again, shall receive Six Pounds Light Money of New-York, and all reasonable Charges paid by me,

GEORGE REMER, Sheriff.

N. B. All Masters of Vessels are forbid to carry him off.—*The New York Mercury, January* 23, 1764.

Run away on the 16th of January inst. from the Subscriber, living in Middlesex County, near Cranberry, a Spanish Negroe Man, named John Jeste: Had on and took with him, a Felt Hat, two yellowish coloured Jackets, one without sleeves, a homespun brown Tow Shirt,

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old Leather Breeches, blue Yarn Stockings, and two Pair of old Shoes. Whoever takes up said Negroe, and brings him home, or secures him, so that his Master may have him again, shall have Three Pounds Reward and reasonable Charges, paid by

JOHN REES.

N. B. He ran away about six Years ago, and was taken up at Capt. Elves's Place, near the Lower Ferry. All Masters of Vessels and others, are forbid to harbour or carry him off.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1831, *January* 26, 1764.

Elizabeth-Town, (*New-Jersey*) *Jan.* 23, 1764. Last Friday departed this Life Miss Mary Eldrington, an old Virgin, in the 109th Year of her Age; she was of an ancient Family, born at Eldrington-Hall, in Nurthumberland, Old England, and on the next Day she was decently interred in St. John's Church-yard, at Elizabeth-Town. It is remarkable that notwithstanding her great Age, she was desirous of getting a Husband before she died; and not two Years since, nothing would offend her so highly as to tell her that she was too old to be married.

New-York, January 30. Last Friday as Robert Ogden, Esq; of Elizabeth-Town, with his Wife, Son, and President Finley's Wife, &c. were passing over on the Ice at New-Brunswick, it gave Way with them; and it was with the greatest Difficulty their Lives were saved.

The College at Princetown, took Fire last Week, but as yet we have not been able to obtain any other Particulars, than that it received little Damage thereby.—*The New York Mercury, January* 30, 1764.

NEW-YORK, *January* 26.

The Harriot Packet which fell down from this Place

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on Sunday last, did not sail from the Hook till Yesterday Morning. Capt. Hopkins of the Queen's Regiment and Captains Campbell and Grant of Montgomery's Regiment went home Passengers. Three Transports with the Remains of Montgomery's Regiment, &c. we hear are to sail this Week for England.

We find by two Letters (published in the Boston Papers) dated Bayonne Prison, August 17th, last, that Arthur Edmond, and John Dalley, had been long confined there, as Ransomers for the Vessels on board which they were taken; and had often wrote to the Merchants and Owners of the said Vessels, but received no Answer or Relief. The former was Passenger on board the Sloop Little Molly, (belonging to Joseph Mains, Merchant, in Barbados) Richard Albany, Master, loaded with King's Provisions, bound to Martineco, and on the 3d of July 1762, taken and ransom'd for 1600 Spanish Dollars, for the Payment of which, he remains confined. The other (John Dalley) sailed from Elizabeth-Town, in the Sloop Two Friends, (belonging to Messrs. Woodruff and Galf[1] of that Town) John Dorrington, Master, bound to St. Thomas's, and on the 17th of Aug. 1761, was taken and ransom'd; for the Payment of which Ransom he is now a Prisoner at Bayonne aforesaid.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1104, *February* 2, 1764.

Run away on Sunday the 22d of January last, from the Subscriber living in Springfield, Burlington County, a Dutch Servant Man, named Joseph Byard, about 21 Years of Age, 5 Feet 5 or 6 Inches high: Had on, when he went away, an old Beaver Hat, tied with a Piece of an old Handkerchief for a Hatband, an old brown Broadcloth Coat, new Swanskin Jacket, new Leather Breeches, a

[1] Jelf.

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white Shirt, blue worsted Stockings, old Shoes, or new Pumps, with Brass Buckles, and is a well set, down looking Fellow. Whoever takes up and secures said Servant in any Goal, shall have Three Pounds Reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by

JOB LIPPINCOTT

PHILADELPHIA. February 2.

The GENERAL ASSEMBLY of the Province of New-Jersey, is summoned to meet at Perth Amboy the Fourteenth Instant.

The several OWNERS of the West End of BARNEGAT BEACH, alias Long Beach, are desired to meet at the Court House, in the City of Burlington, on Saturday, the 25th of this instant February, at 10 o'Clock in the Morning.

LIST of LETTERS remaining in the POST OFFICE in PHILADELPHIA.

John Agnew, Robert Alecks, and John Anderson, Cumberland County. Patrick Barber, New Jersey.

Richard Fordham, New Jersey. Robert Gilmore, Somerset.

James Gilmore, Haddonfield. John Haw, William Hudson, John Hill and James Haggin, New Jersey.

Jas. Jackson, East Jersey. James Kirkpatrick, Rocky Hill. Robert Kinley, George Kinkead, and John Kird, Cumberland County. John Leney and Samuel Leney (2) Paxton. James M'Elhagy, and Dennis M'Allair, Mountholly.

Widow M'Lellon, James M'Cashland and John Moore, Cumberland County. Thomas M'Ilrath (2) N. Jersey.

John Orr, Cumberland County. Robert Patterson, Pilesgrove. Andrew Ralston, Cumberland County. Jos-

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eph Ratan, Sussex County. Mrs. Rainey, Cape May. David Stevenson, Cumberland County. John Smart and William Shaw, New Jersey. Robert Taylor, Cumberland County. Samuel Tom, Sussex County. Esther West, Sussex County.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1832, *February* 2, 1764.

New-York, February 6. We hear that on Friday the 27th ult. died of an Apoplectick Fit, the Hon. Robert Hunter Morris,[1] Esq; Chief Justice, and one of his Majesty's Council, of the Province of New-Jersey, late Governor of Pennsylvania. His Corpse were interred at Morrissania, the Family Seat, in this Government.

To be Sold by
STEPHEN SKINNER
In PERTH-AMBOY;

Madeira wine by the pipe and quarter cask, West India rum by the hogshead, molasses, rice, and sundry other merchandize.—*The New York Mercury, February* 6, 1764.

We hear from Prince-Town, in New Jersey, that last Week a Room in the College there, was by some Accident set on Fire, and caused an Alarm, but was extinguished without doing any Damage except in that Room. We hear each of the Rooms in this College are separated by a Brick Wall, which is not cover'd by Wainscot or any Wood Work, so that a Fire in any of the Rooms cannot spread to the rest except by burning through the Floor to the Room beneath.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1105, *February* 9, 1764.

[1] For a biographical sketch of Robert Hunter Morris, see N. J. Archives, XI., 562-3, note. He filled a large place in New Jersey affairs for many years.

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FOUND, a Silver Watch, on the Great Road leading from Haddonfield to Gloucester, the 21st of January last. The Owner, proving his Property, and paying Charges, may have it again, by applying to BENJAMIN SYKES, living in Chesterfield, Burlington County.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1833, *February* 9, 1764.

To be sold by Jonathan Hampton, of Elizabeth-Town, New-Jersey.

Six thousand acres of good land, lying in Hardwick, Sussex county, New-Jersey, about six miles up Pawlin's Kill, from Delaware river: There is the finest falls and conveniences for any kind of water works, on said Kill, and a great plenty of water; and about ten miles from Andover furnace from these falls, the iron or timber may be transported by water to Trentown and Philadelphia. There is twenty-two settlements upon it; many of them cut large quantities of English hay; I would sell it very reasonable all together, but shall divide it into farms, and sell as the buyer likes, in April next. There is sufficient of fine swamps and meadows; the up-land good for grain, well timber'd and plenty of good lime stone for building; Two thousand three hundred acres, whereon is now building a large stone court-house for Sussex aforesaid. I have laid down a town plot; it is an exceeding fine tract for up land, swamp and meadow; several good buildings going on it in the town: I would also sell this all together, or in any small quantity; several fine plantations upon it. Six hundred acres at the head of Potratconk,[1] near Thomas Newmans, in Mansfield, in Sussex county aforesaid. Five hundred acres adjoining to Robert Young, in Morris-Town, and county of Morris, with two tenements. One hundred and twenty acres where James

[1] Pohatconk.

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Morss lived, near the last. One hundred and twenty acres near said Young's, adjoining John Losey.

It being so common to praise our own lands, I shall leave it to those who incline to purchase, to view them. Time will be given for payment, by

JONATHAN HAMPTON

This is to give Notice, that there is to be sold, a Farm or Plantation, lying in Hopewell, Hunterdon County, West New-Jersey, within 22 Miles of Brunswick, 10 Miles of Trentown, 2 Miles of Penington, containing 86 Acres of Land, 20 of which is good Meadow, with a good Dwelling-House, with three Fire-places; a Stone Weaving Shop, Barn and Orchard, containing 70 or 80 Apple Trees of good Fruit. Likewise a Mill, with two Pair of Stones; the one for Merchant, the other for Country Work; 3 Bolting Chests, 2 of which goes by Water: Likewise a good Stone Dam, that will scarce ever want repairing. The Place is well situated for Custom, and buying of Wheat. For further Particulars, enquire of John Lamburt, living on the Premises, who will give a good Title for the same.

Horses to be Let, and Entertainment for Man and Horse,
at the
Widow HUNTS,
At the Harp and Crown, at ELIZABETH-TOWN.

Whereas RIKE VANDERBELT,

Of New-Brunswick, Shop-keeper, having assigned over all his Estate, real and personal, to us the Subscribers, for the Benefit of all his Creditors; who have likewise appointed us to act as their Trustees; we do hereby give public Notice to all Persons indebted to the said Rike Vanderbelt, that if they do not discharge the same to us

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the Subscribers, living in New-Brunswick, on or before the first Day of March next, their Accounts will be put into the Hands of an Attorney.

JOHN SCHURMAN
WILLIAM VANDEURSEN.

N. B. To be sold at Brunswick, being the Part of the Estate, a good Boat which will carry about eight Cords of Wood, with good Sails, Rigging, &c.

Perth-Amboy, Feb. 8, 1764.

To be sold by the Executors of the late Andrew Johnston, Esq; several Farms at Phembrook, in the Manor of Courtland; they are already surveyed and laid out; consist of upwards of 200 Acres each, and good Land: One small Piece of about 30 Acres, at Peeks Kill, in said Manor: One Half of Salisbury Island, in the High-Lands, opposite to Anthony's Nose; and if a Number of Purchasers offer together, it will be divided and sold in small Lots, being chiefly Meadow Ground, convenient for the adjacent country. Also a large new Brick House, the lower Story and Ground Floor finished; four Rooms on a Floor, with the Lot of about seven Acres, on which it is built; situate in Perth Amboy, on the highest and best Spot in the Town; there is a good Garden, and a fine young Orchard of best grafted Fruit on it. Also a small Lot near the above, of 22 Feet Front, and 100 Feet Rear; both situate in High-Street. Also a Lot of about 9 Acres, very good pasture Land, about a Mile from the Market House. Also one Half of a Lot, of about 3 Acres of Good pasture Land, situate on Back Street, 3-4ths of a Mile from the Market House. Also a Wood Lot of about 75 Acres, in South Amboy, about two Miles from the Ferry, on the Road to Burlington, on which is a small new House. Also a Lot at Matcheponix, of about 500 Acres, adjoining to the

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Farm lately sold by Mr. Johnston; it is capable of being made a fine Farm; has a large Range or out-let, adjoining to the North Side of it, and lies but about four Miles from Spotswood Mills and Church.

The following to be sold by
LEWIS JOHNSTON, Esq;
And the EXECUTORS, above, viz.

First Lot of about 400 Acres, in Monmouth County, near to Gavin Watson's, on which same Improvements have been made; 'tis good Land, well water'd and timber'd. Also several small Lots, to be laid out in Spotswood Town, near to the Church: and Wood Lots will be sold with each Town lot. Also several other Lots and Tracts, about Spotswood, in the Rear of the South River Lots, and about the Fish Ponds, within Brunswick Corporation, the Road to Brunswick from Spotswood, running thro' the said Tracts: Also a large Piece of Bog Meadow, near Cornee's Mills.

As no Notice has been taken of former Advertisements, published by the Executors of the late Andrew Johnston, they are now preparing all Accounts, Bonds, and Bills, to be put in suit immediately.

JOHN BARBERIE
JOHN JOHNSTON,
STEPHEN and CATHARINE SKINNER

—*The New York Mercury, February* 13, 1764.

To be Sold,

By publick vendue (By virtue of a power of Attorney from George Frazer the younger,[1] *leiutenant in his Majesty's 78th regiment;) at Amboy, the 24th of March next.*

[1] George Fraser, junior, was commissioned an ensign in the 60th (Royal American) Regiment, June 23, 1760; and lieutenant in the 78th Regiment, April 24, 1761. The 60th (known as the 62d, prior to 1758) served in America from 1756 to 1773; and the 78th from 1758 to 1763.

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A Certain tenement and water lot situated under the bank, (late the estate of George Frazer the elder deceased,) near Mr. Johnston's store, now in the tenure of Mr. Abraham Webb. Also another lot and tenement, with gardens, orchards, fencing, &c. (late the estate of aforesaid George Frazer deceased, and now in the tenure of Mr. Dehust,[1] attorney at law) situate lying and being in Elizabeth Town in the county of Essex, in the province of New-Jersey, on the south side of the creek; being in length thirty three rod and an half; and in breadth eighteen rod and an half; containing four acres and near one half: being bounded Northerly by a street or highway; Easterly by a lot of Roger Lambert's; Southerly by another street or high way; Westerly by a lot formerly old Pope's, but since and of late in the tenure of Mr. John Ross: together with all the houses, outhouses, improvements &c. thereunto belonging.

N. B. Those who incline to purchase before the day of sale may apply to Mr. Phillip Kearny Esq. at Amboy, or Dr. Peter Sonmans at Philadelphia, who will attend at the time of sale.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1106, *February* 16, 1764.

Elizabeth-Town, February 8, 1764.

Mr. GAINE,

Sir,

As an Advertisement appeared in Mr. Weyman's Gazette, No. 267, concerning one John Dalley, Ransomer for the Sloop Two Friends, lately belonging to Messrs. Woodruff and Jelf, of this Town, and under my Command, wherein the Owners are blamed for the long Imprisonment of the said John Dalley, having never complied with the Terms of the Ransom Bill, for his Release. I cannot remain silent, when an Imputation so

[1] John De Hart.

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aggravated, containing a double Charge of Ingratitude and Inhumanity, is laid to Gentlemen who must be thought innocent by every unprejudiced Mind, when the Facts are properly known; therefore must desire you'll insert the Particulars in your next Mercury, and thereby do Justice to those Gentlemen.

I am Yours
JOHN DORRINGTON.

On the 5th of August 1761, I sailed from Sandy-Hook, Master of the above Sloop, bound to St. Kitts, loaded with Lumber and Provision; for the proper Landing whereof, Bonds were given in the Custom-House in Amboy: On the 17th, we were taken by the French Ship commanded by Jaquez Ammile, bound to Marseilles, of whom I ransomed the Sloop and Cargo for 1725 Dollars, and the above John Dalley went Ransomer. On the 22d, we met with two other French Privateers, belonging to Martinico, who, after detaining us 12 Hours, and taking from us 18 Kegs of Biscuit, and 2 Firkins of Butter, on Sight of my Ransom Bill, let me go. On the 8th of September, was again taken by another French Privateer, commanded by Capt. Del Caprongere, from Martinico, who refused to allow my Ransom Bill, tho' I had 9 Days good on it, and sent me into Port St. Peiers, where I was confined in close Goal till the 29th of October, and on the 30th, was sent to Guadaloupe. While I was at Martinico, the Vessel and Cargo was sold; and I was informed by an Officer of the Admiralty, that I could not have a Copy of the Condemnation, because my Vessel and Cargo was contested between the Factors of the Vessel of whom I ransomed, and the Privateer that sent me in. When I arrived at Guadaloupe, I attested the above, and made a proper Protest; a Certificate whereof (made before John Cruger, Esq; Mayor of the City of New-York) was de-

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livered to the Mother of the said John Dalley, in order to be sent to France.

This being a true State of the Facts, the Vessel and Cargo having become an entire Loss to the Owners, they do not think, by the Laws of War, the said John Dalley, can be detained a Prisoner as Ransomer of their Sloop, especially, as they have been informed by Atwood Cowman, Mate of the said Sloop, that when at Martinico, some Time since, he was told that the Factors of the first Ship had received the Full of the Ransom Bill, from the Sales of the Vessel and Cargo, by Order of the Court of Admiralty in that Island.

JOHN DORRINGTON.

To be SOLD,

The Dwelling House, Barn, Garden, and Water Lot, lately belonging to Col. Josiah Ogden, deceased; situated at the most publick Landing in Newark, New-Jersey, on Passaic River; very convenient for a Merchant, or one using the Seas: The House is two and a Half Stories high, has six good Rooms with Fire-places, besides the Kitchen. Whoever inclines to purchase the same, may apply to the Subscribers, who have Power to sell, and give a good Title for the same.

DAVID OGDEN,
JACOB OGDEN,
ISAAC LONGWORTH.

To be Sold,

A fine Plantation, situate on the Banks of Singaroras Creek, at Middletown Point, East New-Jersey, about eight Miles from Amboy, and within three or four Hours sail of New-York: There is on it a good Dwelling House and Barn, with a commodious Landing and Wharf, about forty Yards from the House, where a Boat of ten or

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twelve Cord, may conveniently load and unload. This Situation yields a most delightful and extensive Prospect of a fine settled Country about Middletown Point, Staten-Island, Long-Island, and the large Bay, where Vessels may be seen that pass to and from New-York: Clams, Crabs, Bass, Perch, and a Variety of other Fish, may be caught in great plenty, even from the Wharf Head.

The Farm contains about 230 Acres, 80 of which are improved fertile Land; of which, about twelve are as good Salt and Fresh Meadow as any in America, and more may be made; also a young bearing Orchard, of about 400 Apple Trees of the choicest Fruit, and other Fruit Trees; the rest is all Wood Land of the most valuable Timber. The Conveniency and Ease of Conveyance to Market, renders the Produce of this Place, as valuable on the Spot, to a Trifle, as in the City of New-York, there being eight or ten Boats constantly plying between this Creek and that City. Reasonable Terms of Payment will be granted; for further Particulars, enquire of Mr. John Burrows, at Middletown Point, Merchant, or Mr. Sheffield Howard, in New-York. Title indisputable.—*The New York Mercury, February* 20, 1764.

NEW-YORK, *February* 20.

The Sloop Mary, Captain Van Ranst, sail'd from hence for South Carolina, 3 Weeks since; and the 8th Day after they left Sandy-Hook, in scudding, they shipped a Sea, that took the Captain and a Man named Fine, off the Deck, who were both drowned; and the remainder of the Crew, three only in Number, judging themselves insufficient to proceed on their Voyage, came back last Saturday.

New-Brunswick, February 9.

RUN-away yesterday morning from Brooke Farmer,

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Esq. post-master in New-Brunswick, a negro wench named Nell, between 30 and 40 years of age, middle sized, well set, a very little pitted with the small pox, is very handy and talkative; she formerly lived at the widow Prittons in Trentown. Had on when she went away, a homespun tow shift, a flower'd flannel under-petticoat, a homespun ditto, striped red, white and blue, one ditto striped black, white, blue and light blue, a linsey woolsey jacket darn'd under the arms, and a stuff cross bared short gown, a pair of blue stockings footed with a different colour, low heeled shoes lately soaled, with white metal buckles. Whoever takes up said negro wench and secures her that her master may have her again, shall have FORTY SHILLINGS reward, and reasonable charges paid by

BROOKE FARMER.

—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1107, *February* 23, 1764.

County of Burlington, in New Jersey, 1764.

The following Tradesmen are wanted, viz. a Shoemaker, Taylor, and Wheelwright, who, if they come well recommended for Sobriety, Honesty and Industry, may find good Encouragement by applying to the Subscriber, where convenient Dwelling-houses and Shops may be had, at a moderate Rent of

WILLIAM FOSTER.

N. B. Also one House and Lot of about 8 Acres of good Land, Part Meadow, within a good Cedar Fence, is either to be sold, or Lett, at a moderate Rent, &c.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1835, *February* 23, 1764.

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Whereas Samuel Tuthill,[1] of Morris Town, in Morris County, purposes to leave of the Business of Tavern keeping, he will sell the Farm where he now lives, containing about 90 Acres, being well proportioned with Wood Land, plough Land, and Meadow, and a fine Stream of Water running through the Whole; with a good Orchard on the same, consisting of 257 bearing Apple Trees, besides a Variety of other Fruit Trees; and also a large Dwelling House on the Place, convenient for a Tavern and other Public Business; standing about Twenty Two Rods from the Court House, in Morris Town, being in the most publick Part of the Country. Any Person inclining to purchase, may apply to Samuel Tuthill, on the Premises, who will give a good Title.

To be LETT, or SOLD,

In Morris County, and Town of Morris, by John Budd, on the most reasonable Terms, a very good two Story

[1] Samuel Tuthill, son of John Tuthill, was born Sept. 22, 1724. He was graduated at Yale College, and appears to have studied medicine, as there are references to him as "Doctor" Tuthill. He is mentioned so often in the local annals of Morristown that he evidently was a leading man in the community. Gov. Bernard appointed him a judge for Morris county, March 19, 1759, and he was again appointed April 21, 1768. In 1773 Lord Stirling complained that Samuel Tuthill and Colonel Samuel Ogden had acted in an unfair and partial manner in "taking the examinations and depositions of several witnesses of and concerning several criminal matters" inquired into by them as judges of the Morris county court of oyer and terminer; he also charged that they had "suppressed the testimony of some material witnesses for bringing certain criminals to justice." These charges being made to the Council of the Province, Col. Ogden in behalf of himself and Judge Tuthill demanded an inquiry. But Lord Stirling withdrew the charges, and the matter was dropped. When Princeton College appealed to the Morristown church (among others) for aid, in 1769, he subscribed £3. He was one of the trustees of the Morristown "Green" in 1771. He was among the first to take a decided stand on the American side in the Revolution, being appointed a member of the Morris County Committee of Correspondence, June 27, 1774, and again on January 9, 1775. The Provincial Congress, on Oct. 27, 1775, appointed him Lieutenant Colonel of the Regiment of Light Horse in the eastern division of the Colony, which he resigned February 3, 1776. He was chairman of a meeting held Sept. 25, 1792, at which was organized the Morris County Society for the Promotion of Agricultural and Domestic Manufactures, which was merged in 1812 in the Morris Library Association, and he was the first President of that society. He was chosen first moderator of the Fire Association of Morristown, organized July 26, 1797. He married, November 3, 1751, Sarah Kenny, daughter of Jacob Ford, senior, and widow of John Kenny. He renewed his covenant with the Presbyterian church of Morristown, April 1, 1754. He died May 31, 1814, in his ninetieth year. His wife joined the church on confession, August 29, 1771. She died November 12, 1811, aged 80 years.

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House, near fifty Feet by thirty, with four good Rooms on a Floor, and a large Entry, a Kitchen, and a good Cellar under the House the whole Length; with One-Fourth of an Acre of Land; also thirteen Acres of good Pasture Land adjoining; also a Tract of eighty Acres of Land, lying about a Mile from said House; of which thirty-five Acres is drained Meadow, that brings exceeding good English Hay; the rest Wood Land. Also a Tract of Three Hundred and Fifty Acres of Meadow, lying about three Miles from the said House, most of it ditched lately, and is fit for Corn, Oats, Flax, Hemp, or Hay. The House is just finished off in a very genteel Manner, and is suitable either for a Gentleman's Country Seat, a Shop, or a Tavern; stands near the Court House, on a very publick Road, in a small Town of near sixty Houses; mostly built within three or four Years past. Any Person that inclines to rent any of the above, may know the Terms, by applying to John Scott, living near the Premises; or if to purchase, to John Budd, at Salem, who can give an indisputable Title to all the above, except the thirteen Acre Lot, which he will Rent.

To be sold, a likely Negro Wench, about sixteen Years of Age, has had the Small-Pox, and is fit for either Town or Country; sold for no Fault, but want of Employ, and can be well recommended for Industry and Sobriety. Enquire of Mr. Peter Pinjez, Somerset County, near Justice Vanderveer's, or at Mr. Henry Bickers, in New-Brunswick.—*The New York Mercury, February* 27, 1764.

To be Sold,

By publick vendue, on tuesday the 27th of March next, if fair weather, if not, the next fair day, and to be continued till all is sold.

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Two plantations belonging to Thomas Leonard, lying in Somerset County, and about half a mile from Princetown; containing about 200 acres each; being well watered, and plenty of good meadow: an undoubted title will be given for said lands, and six months credit for one half the purchase money; and twelve months for the remainder; giving sufficient security. Likewise to be sold at the same time: Sundry lotts and houses in Princetown, some negroes and cattle For further particulars enquire of

THOMAS LEONARD.

N. B. The above plantations will be sold separately; and it may be depended on, none of them will be sold before the above-mentioned time.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1108, *March* 1, 1764.

PERTH-AMBOY, February 15, 1764.

The SPEECH of his Excellency WILLIAM FRANKLIN, Esq, Captain General, Governor and Commander in Chief in and over His Majesty's Province of New-Jersey, and Territories thereon depending in America, Chancellor and Vice Admiral in the same &c.

Gentlemen of the Council, and Gentlemen of the General Assembly,

At your last Sessions it was thought proper to postpone complying with the Requisition of His Majesty's General, until the Royal Pleasure should be signified, and the Determinations of the other Colonies, with regard to the Measure proposed, be made known. I shall now give you all the Satisfaction in my Power on both these Heads.

By a Letter from the Right Honourable the Earl of HALIFAX, Secretary of State, I have received His Majesty's Orders, "earnestly to recommend to you, forthwith to make Provision, for enabling me to call out a sufficient

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Number of the Miiitia, or to raise such a reasonable Number of Troops, as, from the actual State of the Indian War, the Commander-in-Chief of the King's Forces in North-America shall think necessary; and to employ them not only in defending and protecting the Lives and Properties of His Majesty's Subjects on the Frontiers of this Government, but also in acting offensively against the Indians, at such Places, and in such Manner, as the said Commander in Chief shall direct. . . . And His Majesty trusts that the Legislature of this Government, from their Zeal and Affection for His Service, as well as from a just Regard to the Safety and Welfare of the Colony, will readily and chearfully concur in exerting themselves upon this important Occasion, to the End that His Majesty's Subjects in North America may peaceably enjoy the Fruits of the many glorious Successes obtained there by His Majesty's victorious Arms during the late War, and the extensive Advantages secured to them by the late Peace." . . . .

As to the Conduct of the other Colonies on this interesting Occasion, the Assembly of Pennsylvania, I am informed chearfully and immediately voted the whole Number of Troops required of that Province. But the Assemblies of the New England Governments, it seems, not thinking themselves so nearly concerned in the War, have thought proper to postpone their Determinations on this Matter till March. The Expediency, however, of having a considerable Body of Troops to take the Field early in the Spring, supposing the Indians inclinable either to Peace or War, is so forcibly represented in a Letter last Night received from General GAGE, and which shall be communicated to you, that I think you cannot but come into the same Sentiments, and act accordingly.

The Cause of the present Defection among the Indians,

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you likewise at your last Sitting intimated a Desire to be informed of. The many and various Opinions which were then circulated on that Head, bore such evident Marks of being founded on Conjecture only, that I could not think any of them worthy your Attention. But I have since received an Account of a Conference held by Sir WILLIAM JOHNSON with a numerous Body of Indians in September last, wherein Sir WILLIAM (who must be supposed to have the best Information) says, that the Indians "without any Notice or Provocation, fell upon our Traders" &c . . . But I refer you to the Conference itself, which I shall order to be laid before you. . . . It does not appear that even the Indians themselves alledge, or so much as insinuate, that the English had by any Offence whatever provoked the late Outrages. On the contrary, one of their Speakers tells Sir WILLIAM, "the Seneca Warriors had owned that their Sachems did not act right, that the Onondagoes had wise Men to guide them, but They had none, which was the Cause of the present Troubles."

Matters being thus circumstanced, the Necessity of sending an Armed Force into the Indian Country, to bring them to a right Sense of their perfidious Conduct, is most evidently apparent. Indians, in general, are a warlike People from their Infancy. They ever entertain a thorough Contempt for the Nation who will make Peace without obtaining Satisfaction for Injuries suffered by the War. When that happens to be the Case, they seize the first Opportunity of renewing their Hostilities. A recent Instance of this we have in the Creek Nation; who being invited to the late Congress held with the Southern Indians, accepted the Invitation, received the King's Forgiveness for their former Offences, entered into a Treaty of Friendship and Alliance, partook of the Presents sent by His Majesty, and soon after destroyed a Number of

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the Back Inhabitants of South Carolina. In short, to obtain a solid and durable Peace with Indians, we must first make them feel the Miseries of War.

I have therefore, *Gentlemen of the General Assembly,* the fullest Reliance on the Assurances you gave me at your last Sitting, of complying with the General's Requisition. By going chearfully into this reasonable and necessary Measure, you will confirm the favourable Sentiments His Majesty already entertains of the People of this Province, and in the most effectual Manner provide for their Security.

The Militia, who were draughted for the Protection of the Frontiers, are, since your last Sessions, relieved by the Troops raised for that Purpose. . . . The People have, during the Winter, remained at their respective Habitations, and met with no Disturbances from the Enemy; but as the Spring advances, they are apprehensive of fresh Depradations.

Gentlemen of the Council, and Gentlemen of the General Assembly,

I think it proper at this time to mention to you, That some People in Pennsylvania having, contrary to the common Principles of Humanity, murdered, in cool Blood, a Number of friendly Indians, who had long lived peaceably among the Inhabitants of that Province in the Manner that the Indians at Brotherton have resided among us; and having also, in Contempt of the Government, which had taken them under its Protection, threatened the Destruction of other Indians remaining there, tho' they had given the strongest Proofs of their Attachment to the British Nation; I did, at the Request of Governor PENN, grant a Passport for their safe Conduct through this Province, in their Way to Sir WILLIAM JOHNSON. They proceeded as far as Amboy, but being

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refused a Passage through the Government of New-York, they are since returned to Philadelphia. A small Number of them, who were well recommended to me, are, with my Permission, placed near Woodbury, I have received Assurances that the Township will be put to no Charge for their Support. The principal Inhabitants there have given them a friendly Reception; and I trust that there is not a Person in this Province, but has a just Abhorrence of the unmanly Behaviour of those lawless Rioters of Pennsylvania. . . . To be ardently inclined to have the Indians now at open War with us severely chastised for their Perfidy, is highly commendable; yet, surely, not only Humanity, but sound Policy, and common Sense, dictate that we should give all the Encouragement and Protection in our Power to those who shew themselves our Friends at such a Juncture.

Frequent Méetings of the Legislature I well know to be attended with Inconvenience to your private Affairs. It is therefore my fixed Intention never to call you together, but when the publick Service makes it necessary. Perhaps the going at this time into the Consideration of the current Business of the Year, may prevent the Occasion of a Sessions at an inconvenient Season: If this should be your Opinion, you may depend that my Concurrence will not be wanting.

To his Excellency

WILLIAM FRANKLIN, Esq;

Captain General, Governor, and Commander in Chief in and over His Majesty's Province of Nova Cæsarea, or New Jersey, and Territories thereon depending in America, Chancellor, and Vice Admiral in the same &c.

The humble ADDRESS of the REPRESENTATIVES of the said Province, in GENERAL ASSEMBLY convened.

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May it please your EXCELLENCY,

WE, His Majesty's dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Representatives of New Jersey, in General Assembly convened, have deliberately considered the Matters recommended in your Excellency's Speech, and found it necessary to go into some Preparations for the general Service.

In the original Settlement of this Province, great Circumspection and Care was used to gain and preserve the Friendship of the Indian Natives; their Lands were, from time to time, fairly and openly purchased, to their general Satisfaction; this conciliated their Affection, and for a long Course of Time they were eminently serviceable to the new Settlers; and since the Beginning of their Hostilities, lest some among them should think any Part of our Lands remained unpurchased, Care was taken, at the Treaty of Easton, in 1758, to obtain, for a valuable Consideration, a general Release for all the Lands in this Province, such Parts only excepted, as were reserved for the Use of those Indians that inclined to live under the Protection of this Government: This was done, and the Money paid in open Council, and their Approbation universally expressed

Such therefore being the Circumstance of this Province, with regard to the Indians, it became a Matter of Astonishment to us, that any Conduct of theirs should give Reason to fear their Intentions respecting us. And whether they have actually any Design upon this Province or not, their Hostilities in the Neighbourhood of our Frontiers, and in one doubtful Instance over the Line, were Inducements to place a Frontier Guard of Two Hundred Men, for the Winter past. The continuing this Guard, we believe, might be Security for our small Frontier; but as their Perfidy to the neighbouring Governments seems to require Chastisement, and the Operations

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to make a future Peace effectual calls for the united Force of the Colonies, we have now passed a Bill for raising the Number of Men mentioned in the General's Letters, on Condition a majority of the Eastern Colonies ‡ should come into the Requisition, concurring, that as we can neither rank among *the most able,* nor are *most exposed by our Situation,* the making this Provision, by which our Levies may be as soon in the Field as any of the Eastern Colonies, is coming up to the Demand of His Majesty, by the Secretary of State and the General.

Whilst we are thus preparing for bringing perfidious Savage Violaters of public Faith to a Sense of their Interest, we would by no means be understood as including Resentment against all Indians. Experience shews, as your Excellency justly observes, that there are among them, notwithstanding the general Corruption of the Tribes, some that have distinguished themselves by a long and steady Attachment to the English.

Such there are among us; these demand our Protection; Justice to the original Proprietors, whose Lands we purchased and occupy . . . the Faith of the Government, the Proofs of their Fidelity, require it; and we have a well grounded Confidence in our Constituents, that no Occasion will be given (by an Act of theirs) to brand them with the Loss of their distinguishing Faculties; nor plunge into a Conduct that, besides incurring the Penalties of Government, tends to banish Justice from the World, stains the Christian Name, and stamps Disgrace upon Human Nature, by punishing the Innocent for what the Guilty only should suffer.

February 24 *By Order of the House*

1764 ROBERT OGDEN, *Speaker.*

‡ *This Bill having failed in Council, the Assembly afterwards fixed the Proportion New-Jersey was to raise, on*

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what New-York hath, or is to raise on the present Occasion.

PHILADELPHIA, March 1

The Legislature of New-Jersey, instead of restricting their Grant to what a Majority of the Eastern Colonies may do, as mentioned in the Assembly's Address have since passed an Act for raising a Number of Men (not exceeding 600) in the usual Proportion to what may be raised for the Service of the ensuing Year, by the Government of New-York only.

SHREWSBURY STAGE, from BURLINGTON

This is to acquaint the Public, That there is a convenient Stage-Waggon erected, and kept by Joseph Haight, at the Sign of the General Wolfe, in Burlington, to go from Burlington to Shrewsbury or elsewhere during the Summer Season, which Stage will go once a Week if Occasion requires from the Date hereof, and to carry six Persons: John Ferguson's Stage Boat will attend at the Crooked Billet Wharff, in Philadelphia, every Wednesday in each Week, and the Waggon will set off on Thursday Morning. The Price of the Waggon to Shrewsbury will be Forty-five Shillings, if four Persons or under, if above, and not exceeding six, Fifty Shillings. All Gentlemen and Ladies, that will please to favour us with their Custom, may depend that there will be good Attendance given, and People civilly used, by their humble Servants, JOSEPH HAIGHT, JOHN FERGUSON.

Burlington, Feb. 24, 1764

Trenton, January 16, 1764.

To be sold at public Vendue, to the highest Bidder, between the Hours of 12 and 5 o'Clock, on Friday, the 16th Day of March next, at the Court-house, in Trenton, One

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House and Lot of Land, with Out-houses and Stables, joining the Lands of Joseph De Cow, William Morris, Esq; Daniel Coxe, Esq; and others; also 52 Acres of Land, more or less, joining the Lands of Joseph Higbee, Aaron Doud, Elijah Bond, Andrew Reed and others; all which Houses and Lands are pleasantly situated in Trenton; there is excellent Meadow, and a good bearing Orchard, on the Premises, late the Property, and now in the Possession of John Allen, Esq; seized and taken in Execution, at the Suit of Richard Gibb, Samuel Kemble, John Leslee, and others, and to be sold by me

SAMUEL TUCKER, Sheriff

N. B. Any Person or Persons who have Mortgages on the above mentioned Premises, are desired to signify the same to the Sheriff before the Day of Sale.

Trenton, February 11, 1764.

To be sold at public Vendue, to the highest Bidder, on Wednesday, the 11th Day of April next, between the Hours of 12 and 5 o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the Court-house in Trenton, A Plantation containing 102 Acres, situate in Hopewell, bounded by Lands of Jonathan Wright, John Moore and others, it is well timbered, and good for Grain and Pasture; there is a Farm House and Stable on the Premises, and ten Acres of Wheat and Rye, which will be sold at same Time, late the Property of John Blackney; seized and taken in Execution at the Suit of Mrs. Abigail Coxe, and to be sold by me

SAMUEL TUCKER, Sheriff

Trenton, February 12, 1764

To be sold at publick Vendue, to the highest Bidder, on Thursday, the 12th Day of April next, at the Court-house in Trenton, between the Hours of 12 and 5 o'Clock, A

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Plantation in Amwell, containing 119 Acres and 3 Quarters of excellent Land, situate in the Center of a fine Wheat Country, within one Mile of two Grist Mills, late belonging to Jacob Arnwine. Also one other Tract of 170 Acres in the Edge of the Great Swamp, late purchased from Tunis Foster; also in Amwell, noted for fine Pasture Land and Timber, 8 Acres of Land, with a Stream of Water running through it, with a Conveniency for a Fulling Mill on the same, joining the Lands lately purchased by Joseph Howell; there is three Acres of excellent Meadow, with some Fruit Trees thereon, and will suit a Tradesman; also an overshot Grist Mill, and a Log House, with the Good-will or Right of Improvement of about 40 Acres of Land on Colonel Byerly's Tract, in Bethlehem; the Mill is supplied with Water from a noted living Spring that never fails in the driest Times, and is in a fine Wheat Country; the above several Places were the Property of Jacob Arnwine; seized and taken in Execution at the Suit of William Morris, Esq; James Benezet, the Executors of Ebenezer Large, deceased, Thomas Pryor, Benjamin Chew, Esq; and others, and to be sold by me

SAMUEL TUCKER, Sheriff.

N. B. Any Person or Persons who have Mortgages on the above described Premises, are desired to signify it to the Sheriff before the Day of Sale.

Trenton, February 14, 1764.

To be sold at publick Vendue, to the highest Bidder, on Saturday, the 14th Day of April next, on the Premises, between the Hours of 12 and 5 o'Clock, The noted Tavern house, and 60 Acres of Land, besides Allowance, situated at the Foot of Robin's Hill, in Amwell; there is a bearing Orchard, Barn, and other necessary Buildings,

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the Mansion-house large, and almost new, and well situated either for Tavern or Store, late the Property of Daniel Robins, deceased; seized and taken in Execution at th Suit of James Benezet, Townsend White, Jeremiah Warder, Henry Remsen, jun, Robert Gilbert Livingston, and Buckridge Sims, and to be sold by me,

SAMUEL TUCKER, Sheriff.

N. B. Any Person or Persons who have Mortgages on the above described Lands, are desired to acquaint the Sheriff thereof before the Day of Sale.

Trenton, February 16, 1764.

To be sold at public Vendue, to the highest Bidder, on Monday, the 16th Day of April next, on the Premises, between the Hours of 12 and 5 o'Clock, A Plantation, containing 335 Acres of Land, situated in Twixbary; bounded on Alametunk River on the East, South by Hugh M'Can, West by the Society's Lands, North by Lands of Andrew Leaké; there is on the Premises a good Dwelling-house, Barn, Store-house, with other Out-houses, a fine young Orchard, a Quantity of good Meadow, also a Forge for making Bar-iron, with three Fires, Coal-houses, and Houses for Workmen to live in, near the Forge, which is on a fine Stream, called Alametunk, in a fine Part of the Country for Wood, for making Coal. Also sundry Negroes, Men, Women and Children, Cows, Horses and Mares, one Iron-bound Waggon, Sheep, Hogs, Feather Beds and Bedding, with sundry other Houshold Goods, too tedious to mention, late the Property of Christopher Beekman, seized and taken in Execution at the Suit of Andrew Leake, Peter Schank, Henry Schank, John Demund and others, and to be sold by me

SAMUEL TUCKER, Sheriff

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N. B. Any Person or Persons who have Mortgages on the above described Lands, are desired to acquaint the Sheriff before the Day of Sale.

Trenton, February 18, 1764.

To be sold at publick Vendue, to the highest Bidder, on Wednesday, the 18th of April next, for ready Money, between the Hours of 12 and 5 in the Afternoon, on the Premises, One House and 19 Acres of Land, joining the Lands of Aaron Johnson, Daniel Hagerman and others; one Mare and Colt, Bed and Bedding, Pewter Dishes and Plates, a Gun, Iron Pots, with sundry other Houshold Goods, too tedious to mention, late the Property of John Sutfin; seized and taken in Execution at the Suit of Leake and Van Court, and to be sold by me,

SAMUEL TUCKER, Sheriff.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1836, *March* 1, 1764.

To be Sold, at Public Vendue,

On the Premises, on Monday the 26th Day of March Instant,

The Farm whereon the late Chief Justice Morris, lived, in the County of Monmouth, in the Province of New-Jersey; for the Conveniency of the Purchasers it will be divided into two Farms of about 300 Acres each. At the same Time will be sold, the Stock of Cattle, some Utensils of Husbandry, and sundry other Things. The Conditions will be made known on the Day of Sale, and the Vendue to begin at 10 o'Clock in the Morning.

TO be sold, a new well-built furnace, good iron mines near the same, two forges, one with 3, and the other with 2 fires; a saw-mill, several dwelling-

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houses and coal-houses, and several tracts of land adjoining; carts, waggons, utensils and tools proper for the works: The furnace and forges are situated on a good stream, 28 miles from Acquackanung landing, and 36 from Newark.[1] Whoever inclines to purchase the same, may apply to Nicholas Gouverneur, in New-York, or to David Ogden, sen. Samuel Gouverneur, and David Ogden, jun. at Newark, who will agree for the same.—*The New York Mercury, March* 5, 1764.

Monmouth, New-Jersey, February 21.

By virtue of a writ of *fieri facias* to me directed, against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of John Voorhees, late deceased; I have seized and taken one plantation whereon the said John Vorhees lately dwelt, lying and being in Upper Freehold, within about three miles of Allenstown, in the county aforesaid; containing One hundred and seventy acres of good land, with three good dwelling houses on the same; as also a good grist-mill with two pair of stones, and a fulling mill adjoining the same, with plenty of water for both mills, a barn with other out-houses, with two bearing orchards on the premises aforesaid.

Now this is to give notice, that the houseing, mills, lands, &c. will be exposed to sale, by way of publick vendue, on Monday the twenty-third day of April next; on the premises aforesaid, between the hours of twelve and five in the afternoon, at which time and place the conditions of sale will be made known, by me

JOHN TAYLOR, Sheriff.

WAS lost the 7th of March near Milston on Herford road, a watch; makers name Clayton; number not

[1] The property of the Ogdens, known as the American Company, on the Wanaque and Ringwood streams.

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known, the watch is notch'd on the case to make the crystal hold. Whosoever has found the said watch and will return it to John Kelso living in Philadelphia, or to the owner William Karr, shall have TWENTY SHILLINGS reward.

ANDREW REED,

BEING about to remove from Trenton, proposes to sell. 1st. A commodious corner lott in the most pleasant and best situated place for trade in the town; being 64 feet front on King street, and about 200 feet on Market-street; containing one quarter of an acre; whereon is a genteel brick house 28 feet front on King-street, and 38 feet deep, compleatly finish'd from the garret to the cellar, with a large brick kitchen and wash-house back of it, a pump and oven in the wash-house and cellars under the whole.

Also a two story wooden house extending from the brick-house to the corner, upwards of 40 feet front on King-street, in which is a commodious store for dry goods, and has been a well accustomed standing for upwards of 30 years: Back of which are a range of stores two stories high, containing about 40 feet front on Market-street, with cellars and other conveniences for the reception of pork, grain, and all kinds of produce and merchandize. The back part of the lott is occupied as a garden, and is in good order, with a genteel movable summer-house in it.

The above may easily be divided into two tenements if necessary.

2d A lott opposite to Mr. Cox's office, containing 55 feet front on Market-street, and extends back to the Lower or Water-street near the barracks, on each front of which is a large wooden building, now occupied for stables, carriage-houses &c, but may be converted into

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good tenements at a small expence. On this lott is a good garden and a number of fruit trees.

3d A lott above the stone bridge, containing about a quarter of an acre, with a front of 122 feet on King-street, whereon is a two story stone-house, a large work shop and a good well, garden &c. now in possession of James Priestly.

4th A lott about 9 acres; within a quarter of a mile of the town, good part of which is mowing ground.

Any person inclining to purchase the whole, or any part of the premises, may apply to Charles Pettit in Philadelphia, or to the subscriber, who will agree on easy terms to the purchaser.

ANDREW REED.[1]

—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1109, *March* 8, 1764.

TO BE SOLD,

A Small Plantation, in the Township of Waterford, in the County of Gloucester, and Province of West New-Jersey, with a Frame Dwelling-house thereon, containing about 40 Acres, all cleared, and under Fence, three Acres of which is choice Meadow, and more may be made; it is well situated for a Tan-yard, and may suit a Tradesman for many Purposes. Any Person inclining to purchase, may know the Terms, by applying to JOHN COWPERTHWAIT, living near the Premises, or of Joseph Cowperthwait, living at Thomas Gilbert's, a little above Vine-street, near Front street, Philadelphia.

[1] Andrew Reed was a well-known merchant in Trenton during the Colonial period. He was the father of the distinguished General Joseph Reed, at one time Adjutant-General of the Continental Army. He had lived many years in Philadelphia and was a Trustee of the Third Presbyterian church on Arch street in that city. In 1734 he was appointed the first Postmaster of Trenton, and in 1746 he was made one of the Burgesses and Treasurer of the Borough of Trenton under its new charter. From 1756 to 1759 he was Trustee of the Presbyterian church of Trenton. After residing in Trenton many years, he removed about 1759 to Amwell, Hunterdon county, New Jersey, where he owned extensive tracts of land, and died there December 16, 1769.

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An ACT to suppress FAIRS in the Town of Salem, WHEREAS the holding of Fairs in the Town of Salem, has by Experience been found inconvenient and unnecessary; therefore be it enacted by the Governor, Council and General Assembly, and it is hereby enacted by the Authority of the same, that no Fair shall hereafter be held in the Town of Salem; any Law, Usage or Custom to the contrary in anywise notwithstanding. (Passed at Burlington the 7th of December last.)—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1837, *March* 8, 1764.

RUN away on Saturday the 24th of February, a Negro Fellow named Jack: He is about 5 Feet 8 Inches high, of a very black Complexion, and pretty much pitted with the Small-Pox; his hair pretty long, and stares very much; was born at Hackensack; when he talks, he speaks very quick: He had on when he went away, a short scarlet Duffil Waistcoat, made without Flaps, (out buttoning close round to the Waistband of his Breeches) and a red Watchcoat, a Pair of long Trowsers. Whoever secures the said Negro, so that his Master may have him again, shall have Five Dollars Reward, and all reasonable Charges paid by me,

EDWARD AGAR

N. B. Since he went first away, he came privately into the House in the Night, and has taken away the rest of his Cloths, viz. A Blue Camblet Coat, and a Pair of Leather Breeches, Shoes and Stockings, so that he may possibly change his Dress, and appear in them. All Masters of Vessels, are hereby forewarn'd not to carry him off; and all Persons are forbid to harbour him, as they shall answer it at their Peril.—*The New York Mercury, March* 12, 1764.

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RUN away from William Nalls, near Princeton, in east New-Jersey; a servant man named Thomas Osburn, alias Thomas Hardburn, about 21 or 22 years of age, thick built, smooth face, brown complexion, wears his own hair and talks pretty thick: Had on when he went away, a brown short double breasted coat, blue under jacket, buckskin breeches, with brass buckles in his shoes, and an old felt hatt; he took with him, a small parcel of silk handkerchiefs which it is supposed he will offer to sale. Whoever takes up the said servant and secures him in any of his Majesty's goals, or brings him to his said master, or to Mr. George Campbell at Princeton, shall have a reward of Five Pounds paid by

GEORGE CAMPBELL.

All persons are forbid to harbour or carry him off at their peril. All well disposed persons are requested to cut out this advertisement and put it up at the most public places.

WAS left at the house of the subscriber in Pennington, Hunterdon county, New-Jersey, in September last, by a bay horse about 9 years old, has no white about him except a saddle mark on the near side, about 13 hands high, person unknown, and supposed to be stolen: A bright natural pacer: The owner proving his property may have him again.

ROBERT COMBES.

N. B. An advertisement was enclosed in a letter to the Printer last October, but miscarried.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1110, *March* 15, 1764.

By Virtue of a Writ of Fieri Facias to me directed, against the Goods, Chattels, Lands and Tenements of John Vorkes, late deceased, I have seized and taken one Plantation, whereon the said John Vorkes lately dwelt, lying and being in Upper Freehold, within about three

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Miles of Allens Town, in the County aforesaid, containing 170 Acres of good Land, with three good Dwelling-houses on the same, as also a good Grist mill, with two Pair of Stones, and a Fulling-mill adjoining the Grist mill, with Plenty of Water for both Mills, a Barn, with other Out-houses, with two bearing Orchards on the Premises aforesaid. . . . Now this is to give Notice, that the Houses, Mills, Lands &c will be exposed to Sale by Way of publick Vendue, on Monday, the 23d Day of April next, on the Premises aforesaid, between the Hours of 12 and 5 in the Afternoon, at which Time and Place the Conditions of Sale will be made known by me

JOHN TAYLOR, Sheriff.

Perth-Amboy, February 4, 1764

By Virtue of a Writ of Fieri Facias to me directed and delivered against the Goods and Chattels, Hereditaments, real Estate, Houses and Lands of Thomas Johnson, late of the City of Perth Amboy, deceased (in the Hands and Possession of Reuben Potter and David Gosling, Administrators of all and singular the Goods and Chattels, Rights and Credits of the said Thomas Johnson, who died Intestate,) upon a Judgment obtained in the Mayor's Court of Common Pleas, for the City of Perth-Amboy, at the Suit of Stephen Skinner, I have seized sundry Goods and Chattels, also the Dwelling-house and Lot wherein the said Thomas Johnson lately dwelt, also one Water-Lot; the House will suit a Gentleman, Merchant or Tavern keeper, as there is a Tavern and Ferry kept there by the Widow Johnson. Now these are to certify, that I shall expose to Sale on the Premises, the said House and Lot, and Water Lot, on Wednesday the 18th Day of April next, between the Hours of 12 and 5 of said Day, where the Conditions will be made known, by

JAMES BROOKS, Sheriff

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To be sold by the Subscriber, at public Vendue, at the London Coffee-House, on Saturday the 24th Day of this Inst. at Five o'Clock in the Afternoon, an undivided Right of Half a Plantation, containing 270 Acres, more or less, lying on Newtown Creek, in Gloucester County, West New-Jersey, about 4 Miles from Daniel Cooper's Ferry, with a good-bearing Orchard, two Dwelling-houses and a Barn on the Premises; there is about 70 or 80 Acres cleared, the Remainder of which is good Timber Land, with about 20 Acres of Meadow within Bank: The said Bank is about 150 Yards in Length, from Hill to Hill, crossing the Creek opposite the Premises, and much out of Repair at present; but as there are other Owners to near 60 Acres of Meadow within said Bank, the Share of the Purchaser will be but trifling towards mending and supporting it. The Creek is navigable up to the Dam, where is a good Landing for Flatts to go off full loaded.

JAMES GRAISBURY.

N. B. The Title is good. The Purchaser paying Half the Money down, may have a reasonable Time for the Remainder, giving Bond and good Security for the same.

LIST of LETTERS *remaining in the Post-office, Philadelphia.*

Thomas Askey, and Thomas Armstrong, Cumberland County.

Richard Brooks, Milford; Abraham Beaks, Crosswicks; George Brown and William Blyth, Cumberland County James Brown, Baskinridge. Lewis Dubois, Pilesgrove.

Allen Dunlap and Edward Dunlap, Salem County.

Samuel Forman, East Jersey; Thomas Folkes, Bordentown.

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William Garret, Gloucester Point. Rev. R. Kelsay, New-Jersey.

Deborah Lippincott, Gloucester County.

Edward Mercer, David Mitchell, Cumberland County. John M'Carter, East Jersey; John Mairns, New Jersey.

Erick Philpot, Salem. Mat. Russell (2) Newark.

James Renear, New-Jersey; Mrs. Ramsay, Cape May.

Caspar Smith, and Fr. Saunders, Gloucester.

Aaron Silver, Pilesgrove; Richard Smith Salem County.

Jacob Titus, Cold Spring. Robert Walker, Cumberland County.

Trenton, February 25, 1764

LIST of LETTERS now remaining in this Post-Office.

Tafable Anderson, Amwell; Robert Brown, Morris-Town; Mark Ellis (3) Allentown; Samuel Gardner, New-Jersey; Edward Harris, Middletown Point; William Hewes, Monmouth County; Thomas Harvey, Middletown Point; William Kaso, Amwell; John Logan, Bucks County; Elisha Lawrence, West Jersey; John Logan, Baskin-Ridge; Lydia Noble, Maidenhead; David Price (2) Hopewell; John Pratt, junior (2) Amwell; James Reynolds (2) Mountholly; John Rutherford, Trenton; Andrew Reed, Freehold; Ezekiel Smith, Allentown; Edward Stevison (2) Middletown; Messieurs Smock and Company, Middletown Point; Theophilus Severns, Trenton; George Trouchard,[1] West Jersey; John Tiddis, Cohansey; Lake and Vancourt, Bronley—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1838, *March* 15, 1764.

RUN away from the subscriber, living in Cohansey West New Jersey, on the 16th of February; a Dutch servant man named John Reeker, a stocking weaver by

[1] Probably Trenchard.

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trade, about five foot high, wore his own hair of a dark brown colour, he talks broken English, and has lost some of his fore teeth: Had on when he went away an old brown coat, an old double breasted regimental Jersey blue coat (with the arms and skirts cut off) for a waistcoat, striped trowsers, a pair of home-spun blue gray stockings, old shoes, one half worn tow shirt, one white shirt, and an old castor hatt. Whoever takes up the said servant and secures him so that his master may have him again, shall have THREE POUNDS reward paid by

JOHN GIBBON.

N. B. All persons are forbid to harbour, employ or carry off said servant, at their peril.

TO BE SOLD BY

WILLIAM IBISON,

At his store the corner of Chestnut and Water-streets.

A Neat assortment of European and East India goods chiefly suitable for the season, which as he proposes declining the dry good business for the present, will be sold very low for cash. Also rum, sugar, molasses, coffee, tea, chocolate, rice, peper, ginger, rozin, train oyl, &c. &c. &c. Likewise a large still and worm. . . . .

He has likewise to dispose of . . . . a neat parcel of saddles of Williamson's make from Elizabeth Town. Amongst which are a parcel of forrest saddles without trees. . . . .

RUN-away from the subscriber living in the township of Evesham, in the county of Burlington and province of New Jersey; the 16th of this instant, an Irish servant lad named Barnard M'Cindred, aged between the years of 16 and 17, a large well-set fellow of his age, red complexion, very much freckled and somewhat pitted with the small

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pox, talks pretty good English for the time he has been in the country which is about 6 or 7 months, of a lively pert countenance, very talkative; had on when he went away, a good ozenbrig shirt, an old felt hat, an old lightish coloured cloath waistcoat without sleeves, a striped ditto over that, and a frock, old leather breeches, a pair of blue yarn stockings, and pretty good shoes without buckles. Any person bringing or securing said servant so that his master may have him again, shall have FIVE POUNDS reward, and reasonable charges paid by

DANIEL LIPPINCOTT, junior.

—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1111, *March* 22, 1764.

JOHN JACOB BERNAHT, a Native of Dehingen, near Schaffhausen, in Switzerland, takes this method of informing himself whether his Brother John Ulrich Bernaht[1] be yet alive, and if he is, where he resides. They both arrived at Philadelphia from their native Country about 13 Years ago, but were soon separated, since which Time the first mentioned has heard nothing of the latter. If this should come to his Knowledge, he is kindly invited to come to his Brother John Jacob, at Mountholly, in New Jersey, or send him at least Intelligence of the Place of his Residence. And any other Person that knows any Thing about him, is requested to do the same; the Favours shall be acknowledged by

JOHN JACOB BERNAHT.

Trenton, March 15, 1764

The Members of the Trenton Library Company, are desired to attend their annual Meeting, at the House of

[1] Ulrich Bernhart (so written by a clerk) and Hans Jacob Bernath (as he wrote himself) arrived at Philadelphia August 26, 1751, in the ship Anderson, Hugh Campbell, Master, from Rotterdam, last from Cowes, with fifty Roman Catholics, 236 passengers.—*Rupp*, 246.

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Isaac Yard, in Trenton, on Monday, the 9th Day of April next, at Ten of the Clock, in order to make the fourteenth annual Payment, choose Directors, and settle the Company's Accounts.

By Order of the Directors,

SAMUEL TUCKER, Secretary.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1839, *March* 22, 1764.

Perth-Amboy, March 21. Just now returned here in a shattered Condition, a Schooner, Captain Lyell, who sailed from this Port three Weeks ago, bound for Madeira, but three Days after they left Sand-Hook, they met with a violent Gale or rather Hurricane, that tore all their Sails to Pieces, and carried off all their fresh Water, and every Thing they had upon Deck, so that it was with the utmost Difficulty they got back: Happily we hear none of the People were lost.

To be SOLD, or LEASED,

SEVERAL Tracts of Land in the Province of New-York and New-Jersey, viz. New-York. In Orange County. About 2000 Acres, in Cheescock's Patent, Part thereof adjoining Haverstraw, on Hudson's-River, about 40 Miles from New-York, and Part in the Clove, which is very fine Land; the Rest is Mountain Land, extending from Haverstraw to the Clove: This Tract will be sold, or leased in Lots of 100 Acres and upwards; it affords the best of Conveniences for Iron Works, of any Tract in North-America, having plenty of Iron Oar and Wood, and a very fine Stream, sufficient for several Furnaces or Forges, within seven Miles of a good Landing on Hudson's River. Lot No. 10, and Lot No. 28, in the Dividend Part of Minisink Angle, containing each about 1200 Acres of very good Land, in a well settled Country, near

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Goshen; will be sold or leased in such sized Lots as may best suit the Settlers. A Tract of 1000 Acres, situate in Ulster County, about seven Miles from the Dans Camber,[1] on Hudson's Rivver; will be sold or leased in Lots as may best suit the Settlers. Ulster County. About 2000 Acres, contained in several Lots, being Part of Hardenberg's Great Patent, and lying West of Esopus Towns; will also be sold or leased in such Lots as may best suit the Settlers.

New-Jersey, Somerset County. A Tract of about 1000 Acres, lying on the West Branch of Middle Brook, between the first and second Mountains; on which there are several good Improvements, under Lease; the Rest is very fine Timber, conveniently situated for the Use of the Farms on Rariton River; will be sold in Lots, or the Whole together. A Tract of about 1000 Acres, lying in the Rear of the Lots on the North Branch of Rariton, adjoining the Plantations of Mr. Penier, and Mr. Vandervier; will also be sold in Lots, or the Whole together. A Tract of 675 Acres, near Westfield, and about seven Miles West from Elizabeth Town; being Half of a Patent granted A. Campbell, for Head Lands, in 1701; a very fine Tract and mostly improved. Monmouth County. About 500 Acres at Crosswicks, adjoining Wilcock's and Plumstead's Line; very good Land, in an improved well settled Country. Beach Island, containing about 1000 Acres, situate on the Coast of Jersey, between Barnigat and Squan: It has some good Up-land, some fine Red Cedar, and plenty of good Salt Meadow, and is capable of grasing a large Stock of Cattle. Any Person inclining to

[1] The Dans Kammer, dance hall, chamber or place. Doubtless the scene of some annual Indian sacred dance, or Kintekaey. It is mentioned in the public records of New York as early as 1709, when Alexander Grigg, of Ulster, petitioned for a grant of 600 acres of land in that county, on the west side of Hudson's river, Old Man's creek and Old Man's Hook, "together with six acres of meadow lying at a certain place called ye Dance Chamber."—*N. Y. Land Papers*, 91, 101, 117, 119, 124. Of course, there were other localities which for the same reason were similarly designated.

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purchase, or Lease, may apply to the Right Honourable the Earl of STERLING, at his Seat at Baskinridge, in New-Jersey, or to Gerard Bencker, at the said Earl's House, in New-York.

Will be Lett, to cover Mares for the ensuing Season, at Connecticut Farms, in the Borough of Elizabeth, New-Jersey, within four Miles of the Town, by Jecamiah Smith, The

HERO,

BRED by John Holme, Esq; of Carlisle in Old England. The Hero was got by Young Sterling, his Dam by Slipby, which was own Brother to Saupt's Dam; his Grandam by Partner, his Great Grandam, by Old Hout-Boy, her great Grandam by Place's White Turk, her Dam by Dodsworth, and out of a Layton Barb Mare. Young Sterling was got by Old Sterling, out of Matchieu's Dam, Matchieu won the Whip at New-Market; his Pedigree is certified by the Breeder. Terms of Covering as follows; Five Pounds Proc. at the first Covering, the Mare to have the Benefit of the Season, for which Purpose I have provided Pasture for Mares at a distance, and will take proper Care of those that are sent to be covered, for Three Shillings Proc. per Week. Hero is Fifteen Hands and about an Half high, well shaped, and by good Judges, allowed to be the most compleat Horse they ever saw in America.

JECAMIAH SMITH.

TO be sold, a FARM, lying in Freehold, near the Old Scotch Meeting-House, containing about 300 Acres of Land; there was mowed last Summer from off the Half of the Meadow now cleared, sixty five Loads of Clover and Spear Grass; and about 100 Acres of good intervale more to be cleared; lays within five Miles of

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Middletown Point; there is a very convenient Landing, a new Dwelling House, good Barn, Waggon House, a framed Corn Crib, two good large Barricks, Milk House, and Cooper's Shop, &c. it is extreamly well watered and timbered. Likewise one Lot, and new Dwelling House, at Mount Pleasant, convenient for a Tradesman. Another Lot of two Acres at Burn Flye, upon the South River Road, convenient for a Tradesman. Any Person inclining to purchase any of the above-mentioned Lots, or Farm, may agree with Abraham Hendricks, of Imlay's Town, Trader, on reasonable Terms; or with John Hendricks, at Middletown Point, and an indisputable Title will be given by Abraham Hendricks.

TO be let in Farms from 50 to 300 Acres, on very low Rent, a large Tract of fine Up-land and Meadow, nearly in the Center of the County of Sussex, in New-Jersey, and about Half a Mile from the Court House; wherein there is already upwards of 30 Families settled, and Room for as many more; and is known to be one of the best Places in that Province for raising Stock of all Sorts; and on Account of the great Number of People employed at the Iron Works in that Neighbourhood, there is generally as good a Market for Grain, and other Produce, as at New-York. For the Terms, and further Particulars, enquire of EPHRAIM DARBY, Esq; near the Premises, who is impowered to rent any Part thereof that may be wanted; or of WILLIAM KELLY, the Owner, in New-York.—*The New York Mercury, March* 26, 1764.

Custom-House, Philadelphia, Entered In. Sloop Charming Molly, B. Lunt, from Piscataway.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1112, *March* 29, 1764.

Taken up adrift, on the Jersey Shore, the 21st inst.

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March, a Battoe, painted black. The Owner proving his Property, paying Charges, may have it again, by applying to

DAVID WHILEY, Flatman.

LOST, on the 21st Day of February last, between Douglas's Ferry, on Staten-Island, and Elizabeth Town-point, a Silver Watch, which shewed the Day of the Month, had a Stone Seal set in Silver, and in the Case the Picture of King William. Any Person that has found it, will please to send it to the Printer hereof, or to Mr. William Lupton, Merchant, at Burling's Slip, New York, they shall be sufficiently rewarded.

N. B. It is supposed to have been seen the same Day with two Gentlemen travelling towards the Forks of Delaware.

York Goal, March 6, 1764.

WAS committed to the Goal of this County, three young Men, on Suspicion of being Runaways, viz. Elijah Davis, born in West Jersey, and brought up in Cumberland County, a Shoemaker by Trade, about 26 Years old, of a ruddy Complexion, about 5 Feet 11 Inches high, wears a light coloured lappeled Jacket, with Whitemetal Buttons, an under half worn red Flannel Ditto, Buckskin Breeches, blue Stockings, new Shoes and Pewter Buckles. John M'Peters, born in Kent County on Delaware. . . . Joseph Thomas, born in Philadelphia. . . . .

Their Master or Masters if any such there be, are desired to come and take them away, paying Charges, otherwise they will be sold in 30 Days from the Date hereof for the same, by JACOB GRAYBILL, Goaler.

RUN away from his Bail on Monday, the 13th of February last, a certain William Bowen, about 35 or 40 Years

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of Age, red faced, lost one of his Thumbs, and some of his Fore-teeth; he is about 5 Feet 6 or 7 Inches high: Had on, when he went away, a light coloured napt Great Coat, a blue Body Coat, the rest of his Apparel not known; he took with him two Horses, one large and black, the other the Colour not known; he has been seen in New Castle County. Whoever takes up said Runaway, and secures him in any of his Majesty's Goals, so that the Subscriber may have him again, shall have Five Pounds Reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by MICHAEL LEE, of Cumberland County, New-Jersey.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1840, *March* 29, 1764.

WHEREAS Mary, the Wife of Thomas Degrey, of New-German-Town, in the County of Hunterdon, in the Province of New-Jersey, has eloped from her lawful Bed and Board, without any Provocation; he therefore takes this Method, though much against his Inclination, he being apprehensive of her running him in Debt, to forewarn all Persons from crediting her on his Account, as he is determined to pay no Debts of her contracting from the Date hereof.

New-German-Town, Dec. 20, 1763

T. DEGREY.

THE Managers of the New-Jersey College Lottery, being under a Necessity of postponing the Drawing of the said Lottery for one Month, on Account of the Remissness of sundry Persons who have had Tickets to dispose of, and not yet made Returns: Do hereby give Notice, that the Drawing will *certainly* commence on Tuesday the 7th of May, at Princetown. In the mean time, Gentlemen who may have Tickets still on Hand, are desired forthwith to return them to the Manager of whom received, and settle Accounts, that they may be enabled

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to pay off the fortunate Numbers immediately after drawing, which they may not else be sufficiently in Cash to do; otherwise those Persons will be looked upon as accountable themselves for the Value of the Tickets. There are a few Tickets in the Hands of the Managers to be disposed of: Those who are desirous of adventuring, will call without Delay, or lose the Opportunity.

Elizabeth-Town, New-Jersey, March 20, 1764.

RAN away from his Bail, one William Cooper, by Trade a Coach-Harness Maker and Trimmer, who some Time ago advertised himself as such in the New York Papers: He was born and served his Time in London, was about 32 Years of Age, about 5 Feet 8 Inches high, slim, Lanthorn jaw'd and Pockmark'd; is very apt to drink, and when drunk is much inclined to Singing: His Apparel was a light colour'd Great Coat, a light colour'd old Ratteen Coat lappel'd, a striped Flannel double-breasted Jacket, blue Cloth Breeches, with white plain Metal Buttons, old brown cut Wig, half worn Hat cocked up. It is likely he may change his Cloths, and perhaps wear his own short brown Hair, with a thin sandy Beard. Whoever apprehends the said Cooper, and confines him in any Goal in America, or sends Word, so that he may be had again, shall have Five Pounds New York Money Reward, and all reasonable Charges, paid by

JOSIAH WINANTS, and
JONATHAN HAMPTON.

All Masters of Vessels are forewarned from carrying him off at their Peril.—*The New York Mercury, April 2, 1764.*

NEW-YORK, *April 2.*

Thursday Night Capt. Preston, in a Brig inward bound from Dominico, run ashore a few miles from Sandy-

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Hook, and 'tis feared will not be got off again—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1113, *April* 5, 1764.

To be Lett, on a Lease, for seven Years,

A Very convenient and commodious Tan-yard, in the Town of Gloucester, which is very convenient for getting of Hides and Skins, being within 4 Miles of Philadelphia, situate on the River; and there is now a good Stock in the Yard to be sold. Also to be Lett with said Yard, a very good House, and a small Plantation; if the Person who takes the Yard should incline to take it, and if not, they are to be Lett separate. Likewise three Negroe Men to be Lett with the Yard, who understand the Business well. Any Person or Persons inclining to take the same, by applying within 4 or 5 Weeks may be informed of the Terms, by

JOSEPH ELLIS.

There is now confined in Salem Goal, a certain Daniel Murfey, who says he was a Servant to one Niel Gauleher, in Warwick, but bought his Time of his Master; he is a Lad about 20 Years of Age; and says he is a Taylor; he was committed on Suspicion of being a Runaway; his Master (if any he has) is desired to come and take him away, or if he is Free, those that are acquainted with, are requested to inform me of it, that he may be discharged by JOHN BUDD, Sheriff.

Salem County, New Jersey

RUN away on the 25th of March last, a Servant Man, named Michael Barratt, about 5 Feet 8 or 9 Inches high, about 27 Years of Age, and has been a Soldier, of a sandy Complexion, wears bushy curled Hair: Had on, when he went away, an old cocked up Hat, homespun Jacket of a lightish Colour, lined with a thick light coloured Home-

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spun, an under Jacket of flowered Flannel, a Holland Shirt ruffled at the Sleeves, a good Pair Leather Breeches, blueish grey Yarn Stockings; has with him a Pair of black Ditto, a Pair of strong half worn Shoes, with Pewter Buckles and Brass Anchors and Tongues. Whoever takes up and secures said Servant, so as the Subscriber may have him again, shall have Forty Shillings Reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by

JOHN NICHOLSON.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1841, *April* 5, 1764.

Three Pounds Reward,

Run-away from the Subscriber, in Trentown, a Servant Man named Peter Marsh, about 30 Years of Age, middle Size, something slender built, brown Eyes, wore his own short brown Hair: Had on and took with him, an old Felt Hat, a Half worn blue Broadcloth Coat, with short close Cuffs, long Waist, and short Skirts, blue Cloth Jacket, with Brass Buttons and red Lining; Oznabrigs Shirt, but probably may have other fine Shirts with him; a Pair of black Knit Breeches, brown rib'd and grey Yarn Stockings, and may also have some black Worsted ones; half worn Shoes, with plain Brass Buckles in them. He is a pretty likely Fellow, has a few Pock Marks in his Face; says he came from Lancashire in England, but last from Ireland, and arrived here last Fall. He is a remarkably complaisant fair spoken Fellow; and been used to waiting on a Gentleman. Whoever takes him up and secures him, so that the Owner may get him again, shall have the above Reward, and all reasonable Charges paid, by RALPH NORTON.

N. B. All Masters of Vessels and others, are requested not to harbour, conceal, or carry him off at their Peril.

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New-Jersey, March 27, 1764

To be sold at public Vendue, on Monday the 23d of April next, on the Premises, or at private Sale any Time before;

THE Plantation lately belonging to Benjamin Ilslee, deceased, situate, lying and being in Raway, pleasantly situate on the Country Road, adjoining to the Plantation of James Marshal, in said Raway, and within three quarters of a Mile of Raway Landing, containing about 130 Acres of Land, of which there is 25 Acres of good English Meadow, with about 30 Acres of Wood Land, a good House and Barn, a good Well at the Door, with a pleasant fresh River running through Part of said Plantation; a good bearing Orchard with about 330 Apple Trees, of the best Fruit, with a Variety of other Fruit Trees, such as Pears, Peaches, Plumbs, &c. Any Person inclining to purchase the same, may apply to the Subscriber, by whom a good Title will be given.

JAMES MARSHALL

N. B. If the above Place is not sold by the Day mentioned, it will be let by said Marshall.

Springfield, Borough of Elizabeth-Town, New-Jersey, March 26, 1764.

Run-away about four Weeks ago, from the Subscriber, an Apprentice Boy named James Craze, about 17 Years of Age, a middling siz'd Lad, marked with the Small Pox, and wears his own straight black Hair: Had on when he went away, an old grey Watch-coat, blue Broadcloth Coat, short blue Jacket, a Pair of Leather Breeches, blue rib'd Stockings, and a Castor Hat. Whoever will take up and secure the said Apprentice, so that his Master may have him again, shall have 20s. Reward, paid by

JAMES CAMPBELL.

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N. B. All persons are forbid to entertain or trade with said Apprentice. Since he went away he has passed by several fictitious Names, but mostly by James Bagley.

NEW-YORK, *April* 9

[Saturday last] came up, Capt. Preston's Brig, mentioned in our last to be ashore near Sandy-Hook.

For COVERING
The HORSE
RAVEN

KEPT by the subscriber at Woodbury, in Gloucester county, West New Jersey: A jett black horse, with a fine star and strip, and one white foot full three quarters blooded, wants half an inch of fifteen hands high, an excellent trotter; a PISTOLE, a single leap, or FORTY SHILLINGS the season. The subscriber hath good keeping for mares.

ABRAHAM CHATTIN.

N. B. The said horse is to be sold.

RUN away from the subscriber living in Deptford Township Gloucester County West New-Jersey, an Irish servant lad about fifteen years of age, named Richard Thetford about five feet four inches high, well set, fair complexion, marked a little with the small-pox, has been about five months in this Country: Had on when he went away a brown coat with side pockets and breeches of the same, a light coloured jacket, a pair of pale blue stockings darned on the knees, new shoes and brass buckles, ozenbrigs shirt: But as he took several cloaths with him it is uncertain which he will wear: Whoever takes up said servant and secures him in any goal so that his master may have him again shall have EIGHT DOLLARS reward, paid by me

JOSHUA LORD.

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N. B. All masters of vessels are forbid to carry him away, otherwise they must answer it at their peril.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1114, *April* 12, 1764.

TO BE SOLD,

A likely Mulattoe Girl, about 15 Years of Age, has had the Small-pox and Measles, and is very healthy, fit for Town or Country Business. She can card or spin, understands a Dairy, and has six Years to serve. For further Particulars, enquire of HENRY WOOD, living in Waterford Township, Gloucester County, two Miles from Cooper's Ferry.

All Persons having any Demands against the Estate of Joseph King, late of the Township of Kingswood, and County of Hunterdon, New-Jersey, deceased are desired speedily to bring in their Accounts, that they may be adjusted by the Subscribers; those indebted to the said Estate are desired to make speedy Payment to us, who are empowered to demand the same. JOSEPH KING, MANSFIELD HUNT, Executors.

FIVE POUNDS Reward

RUN away on the 26th of March last, from the Subscriber, at Great Egg Harbour, a Spanish Indian Servant Man, named James Donbar, about 5 Feet 3 or 4 Inches high, his Hair tied behind: Had on, when he went away, a blue Jacket, lined with red, a Check Flannel Shirt, old Leather Breeches, and blue Stockings; there are a blue Great Coat, and an Indian Blanket missing, and it is thought he will make towards the Forks of Delaware. Whoever takes up and secures said Runaway in any Goal,

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so as his Master may have him again, shall have the above Reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by

RICHARD WESCOT

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1842, *April* 12, 1764.

Custom-House, Philadelphia, Entered In. Sloop Friendship, R. Saunders, from Amboy.

Cleared. Schooner Dove, N. Bartlet, to Salem. Schooner Elizabeth, J. Trautvetter, to Salem. Sloop Abigail, E. Needham to Ditto.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1115, *April* 19, 1764.

WAS put on board of a Trenton Shallop, a considerable Time ago, at Philadelphia, and brought up to Trenton, by Asher Carter, a Quantity of new Pewter. Any Person proving their Property, and paying Charges, may have it again, by applying to NATHANIEL PARKER, at Trenton Ferry.

To be sold, by Way of public Vendue, on Tuesday, the First Day of May next, at the House of Zachariah Rozell, Innholder, at Mountholly, the Iron-works, commonly called and known by the Name of the Mountholly Iron-works, consisting of one Finery, with three Fire-places, and three Pair of Bellows, and all the other Apparatus for carrying on the Works; also a Chasery, with one Fire-place, and one pair of Bellows, for the Conveniency of the Hammer-man, where he meets with no Interruption from the Finers; a commodious Coal-house, with about 500 Tons of Bog Ore on the Bank, several commodious Houses to accommodate the Workmen; also 360 Acres of Land, six Acres of which are cleared and drained Meadow, and fifteen Acres more may be made; a genteel Dwelling-house, with a handsome Garden, and other

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Conveniences, pleasantly situated for the Owner or Overseer. Part of the Land may be sold distinctly from the Works, or the whole together, as may best suit the Purchaser; if separate, it will be laid out in Lots. There is Plenty of Wood contiguous to the Works.

PETER BARD.[1]

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1843, *April* 19, 1764.

New-York, April 23. We hear from Elizabeth-Town, that on Monday last, Alderman Stites of that place, a gentleman generally esteem'd, being about to straighten a road, of which he was overseer, by the removal of a fence, belonging to one Sears, which was an encroachment upon it—Sears having before heard of his design, declared if he attempted it he would shoot him, and accordingly loaded his gun with powder and shot. When Mr. Stites, with his labourers on the high way, approach'd the fence, he saw Sears with his gun, ask'd him where he was going with it. He replied, "I'll tell you, damn ye", and immediately fired at him, lodging the shot in his side and belly. Sears was, after some resistance secured and sent to goal. It is though Mr. Stites cannot recover, though it is not certain whether the shot have penetrated his bowels, several have been extracted, but he had a high fever, and was in exquisite pain, though still alive on Wednesday morning last.

Pursuant to a Law of the Colony of New-York, to lay a Duty of Tonnage on Vessels, for defraying the Expenses of the

Light-House, on Sandy-Hook;

It is enacted, "That every Master or Commander of

[1] Son of Peter Bard, a notice of whom is given in N. J. Archives, XII., 667, note.

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any Vessel, subject to the aforesaid Duty of Tonnage, who shall not, within forty eight Hours after his Arrival in the Port of New-York, make Report to the Clerk of the Master and Wardens of the Port of New-York, aforesaid, of his Arrival, and the Burthen of his Vessel, shall forfeit and pay for every such Neglect and Omission the sum of

TEN POUNDS".

I do hereby notify whom it may concern, that from and after the first Day of May next ensuing, all Masters and Commanders of Vessels, do make Report within the Time limited, at my Office, where Attendance will be given during Custom-House Hours.

New-York, 21st April 1764.

JOSIAH SMITH, Clerk

To be Sold,

A Plantation at Freehold, in Monmouth County, and Province of New-Jersey, containing upwards of 200 Acres, 10 Acres of which is Meadow, and 40 more may easily be made, 80 Acres are well cleared, well watered, with a running Brook at each End, and is well fenced. There is a tolerable good House on the Premises, an excellent Barn, a good Orchard of 100 Trees, and many other Conveniences. Whoever inclines to purchase the same may apply to Cornelius Van Derhoff, living on the Premises, who will agree for the same on reasonable Terms.

To be disposed of, very reasonably,

A New, light, and very genteel Post Chariot, esteemed by good Judges who have viewed it, equal to any imported from England. Enquire of M. Williamson, at Elizabeth-Town, in New-Jersey.

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TO be sold, or leased for years, several lots of land, by John Scott, of Morris Town, in Morris County, and province of New-Jersey, the farm whereon he lately lived; the same is largely stored with all sorts of good fruit, such as peaches, English and common Cherries, &c. will yield 50 loads of English hay, and pasture as many head of cattle, and produce coarse hay for wintering the same; also, a good new dwelling-House, 42 by 27, having a cellar under the whole house, 4 rooms and an entry on a floor, 7 fire places, a good barn, stable, &c. and 29 acres of land, in good fence. Also, 50 acres of wood land, all in Morris Town, and in the best situation for any publick business. Likewise, 210 acres of land on the crossroads on Schuyler's mountains, 20 miles from Morris Town, fit for tillage, and a good situation for a tavern or store, being about 80 rods from where Nippsey Drake kept tavern. Also, 1000 acres on the northwest side of Pawling's Cillor,[1] or Creek, 2 miles from Gasper Shavours, and 4 from Sussex court house, Also, several small lots of land in Amwell Town, in Hunterdon county; as well as several tracts of land formerly John Budd's, deceased, lying in Burlington, Gloster, Salem and Cumberland counties, New-Jersey. Whoever has a mind to buy or lease any of said lands, may apply to said Scott, at Morris Town, who will treat with them on reasonable terms, and will give good leases on indisputable titles for the same. There are several other farms, the leases whereof expire in the spring.—*The New York Mercury, April* 23, 1764.

NEW-YORK, *April* 23.

Yesterday sailed from Sandy-Hook, the Venus Transport, for England, and the Sardine Sloop of War for Philadelphia.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1116, *April* 26, 1764.

[1] Kil, the Dutch for a stream, channel or river.

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Philadelphia, April 23, 1764.

Whereas public Notice was given in the Gazette of last Week, That the Mount-holly Iron-works would be exposed to Sale by public Vendue, on the First Day of May next, We the Subscribers, being Assignees in Trust to the Estate of James Child, do think it our Duty to inform the Public, that we are possessed of a Mortgage on the said Estate, by which we claim 470 l, and in Consequence of this Right, did some time since order a Writ of Ejectment against the Tenant in Possession; which Writ, we are informed, has been since issued and served, so that the Cause is now in Court.

SAMUEL NEAVE, JEREMIAH WARDER, FRANCIS RICHARDSON.

THREE POUNDS Reward.

RUN away last Night, from the Subscriber, living in Burlington County, New-Jersey, an Irish Servant Man, named Bernard ———, about five Feet two Inches high, well built, has dark Hair, well cloathed with a Snuff and light coloured Broadcloth Coat, Cotton Velvet Jacket, a white homespun and a red Ditto, and sundry coarse Ozenbrigs Shirts, Trowsers and other Things missing, supposed to be taken. He is about 19 Years of Age. Whoever secures said Servant in any Goal, so that his Master may have him again, shall have the above Reward and reasonable Charges, paid by

WILLIAM FOSTER

Fourth Month, 23, 1764.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette,* No. 1844, *April* 26, 1764.

RUN away from the Subscriber, living at the Falls of Schuylkill, a Negroe Woman, named Betty; it is uncer-

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tain what Dress she will appear in, as she had different Sorts of Clothes with her. She has a Husband at Mr. Bard's Iron-works in Mount-holly, and it is thought she keeps thereabouts. Whoever takes up and secures said Negroe in the Workhouse at Philadelphia, shall have Thirty Shillings Reward, paid by

JANE BLACKWOOD

N. B. All Persons are forbid to harbour her at their Peril.

RUN away, the 15th of this instant April, from the Subscriber, living in Evesham Township, Burlington County, an Irish Servant Man, named John Smith, alias Philip Kentling, about 5 Feet 10 Inches high, a middle aged, thin faced Man, of a brown Complexion, and wears his own Hair: Had on, when he went away, an old Felt Hat, striped Jacket, with Sleeves, pieced with another Sort, a yellow Thickset Waistcoat, a Shirt, and Petticoat Trowsers of Ozenbrigs, and old Shoes. Whoever takes up and secures said Servant, so that his Master may have him again, shall have Three Pounds Reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by

ANDREW BOZORTH

N. B. Said Servant was brought out of Burlington Goal about ten Days ago.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1844, *April* 26, 1764.

New-York, April 30. We hear from Elizabeth-Town, that Alderman Stites was still alive Wednesday Morning last, many Shot had been extracted, and there were some Hopes of his Recovery.

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Morris Town, April 19, 1764.

FIFTY POUNDS Reward.

WHEREAS my House in Morris Town, was broke open on Monday Night the second Instant, the Lock broke off my Desk, and my Pocket Book taken out, with about £27 in Cash, and several Writings of the greatest Consequence to me: Particularly some Receipts, one of which was from John Tuttle to me, for £. 200 York Currency; and as a certain Person was heard to say (that Morning before this Theft was made) that the above Receipt would never be seen again, I have the greatest Reason to suspect this infamous Robbery has been committed on Account of the aforesaid Receipt, with a villainous design to defraud me of the Money depending on said Receipt, together with my Character: Therefore whoever will discover the audacious Perpetrator of this horrid Crime, shall receive on Conviction, the above Reward, from

DAVID GOULD.

—*The New York Mercury, April* 30, 1764.

Lost on the 17th of April last, between Burlington and Crosswicks, on the York Road, a green Pocket-Book, tied with green Ferrit, containing the following Bills of Paper Money, viz. 2 of Five Pounds each, 2 of Fifty Shillings each, and 1 of Fifteen Shillings, all Pennsylvania Currency, and Three or Four Shillings in small Bills, the whole amounting to Fifteen Pounds Eighteen or Nineteen Shillings; as also a Bond from John Craig to John Pollock, for Twenty-eight Pounds, payable the first of August last, with a receipt on the Back of the said Bond for Six Pounds, dated some Time last Fall, and sundry other Papers, in the said Pocket-Book, of no Service to any but the Owner. Whoever has found the same and

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will return the Money, Book and Papers, to John Lawrence, Esq; in Burlington, or to the Printers hereof, shall have a Reward of Five Pounds.

RUN away, on the 26th of April last, from the Subscriber, living in Gloucester County, New-Jersey, an Irish Servant Man, named Patrick Breastland, between 18 and 19 Years of Age, (as he says) is pitted pretty much with the Small [pox], has black Hair, and supposed to be about 5 Feet 7 Inches high, slim in stature: Had on, when he went away, a Snuff-coloured Cloth Coat, with a Cape, which he may take off, one of the Sleeves having been torn behind from the Back, is sewed up again with white Thread, it has Buttons at the Pockets, the Tops of which, as well as those before, are mostly off; an under Waistcoat, without Sleeves, patched on both Sides before; Breeches much worn, and patched in the same Manner; blue grey yarn Stockings, and Shoes, with Buckles in them. It is thought he has a Falling-Axe with him, but not certainly known. Any Person securing said Servant, so as his Master may have him again, shall have Forty Shillings Reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by

JAMES COOPER.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1845, *May* 3, 1764.

By Virtue of a Writ to me directed, will be exposed to Sale, by public Vendue, between the Hours of 12 and 5 o'Clock in the Afternoon, on the 21st Day of May inst, at the Court House, in the County of Cumberland, West New-Jersey, a Tract of Salt Marsh, situated in the Township of Fairfield, in the County aforesaid, bounding on the Bay of Delaware, between the Mouth of Broad Oyster Creek and Dividing Creek, containing, by Estimation 3200 Acres, in which is contained a valuable Sand Beach;

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it being late the property of Samuel Cotton, deceased, and taken in Execution by

HOWELL POWELL, Sheriff.

N. B. The Writings are in the hands of Mr. William Shute, in Front-street, Philadelphia, where any Person inclining to purchase, may be acquainted with the Title. —*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1845, *May* 3, 1764.

New-York, May 7. On Monday last the whole Body of New-Jersey Provincials, raised for the present Expeditions against the Indians arrived here on board several Vessels, and the same Day sailed for Albany.

Our last authenticated Intelligence from Albany, dated April 23d, will, we hope, be very pleasing to all our Readers.

Two Days ago, Capt. Montour arrived with some of his Party at Johnson-Hall, and brought the Scalp, &c. taken some Time since. The Indian scalped, was a Head Warrior, Nephew to the Squash-Cutter, Chief of all the Delawares. Capt. Montour brought with him likewise, a lad named Emanuel Stover, of Rariton, New-Jersey, taken last Year at Wioming, with 6 others, by the Delawares; and a Delaware who went to Johnson-Hall, on the 20th Instant, under some specious Pretence, was on Discovery of his Villainies, apprehended.

THE Managers of the New-Jersey College Lottery beg Leave to acquaint the Publick, that the Numbers are now putting into the Boxes, and that they intend to begin the Drawing the 8th Instant.

STRAYED, or stolen, from the Subscriber, living in Amboy, about the 20th of April, a large bay Horse, 5 Years old, about 15 Hands high, paces, trots and gal-

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lops; also, a sorrel Horse 7 Years old, a natural pacer, with a large Main and Tail, is about 14 Hands and a half high; if strayed, they are supposed to be gone towards New-York, as they were bred that Way. Whoever takes up said Horses, and brings them to the Subscriber, at Amboy, shall have 20s. Reward for each, and all reasonable Charges, paid by me

STEPHEN SKINNER.

On Thursday the 7th of June next will be sold at publick Vendue, on the Premises, An excellent FARM, KNOWN by the Name of Namuck, in Morris County, and Province of New-Jersey; containing, something more than 200 Acres of choice Land, with two good Houses, a large Barn, a Cyder Mill, with two good Orchards, that commonly yields 150 Barrels of Cyder, a Year. Also, a choice Piece of Meadow, whereon may be yearly cut 50 Loads of English Hay, and considerable more may be easily added to it; the whole is exceeding well timbered, and its Situation is so convenient, that only one Panel of Fence incloses the whole, the Rest being surrounded by a Brook. Any Person inclining to purchase before the Sale, may apply to Isaac Searing, living on the Premises.—*The New York Mercury, May 7, 1764.*

We hear a LOTTERY for the Benefit of New-Jersey College, is now drawing at Prince-Town.

THE Circuit Courts by order of the Judges of New Jersey, will be held. At Cape May, on Wednesday the 16th day of May: at Cumberland, on Monday the 21st of said Month; at Salem, on the 24th of ditto; and at Gloucester, on the 28th of ditto; of which the Sheriffs of these Counties and all others concerned are to take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

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To be Sold.

At publick vendue at the London Coffee-house, on Monday, the 4th of June next at 7 o'clock in the Evening.

A Lot of ground containing one acre and a half, situate on Delaware river on the Jersey side, about one mile below the ferry at Trenton, subject to a ground rent of six pound per annum to be paid yearly, and a Lease of 10 years from Jan. 1st 1763 to Moore Furman and in his possession, the purchaser has a privilege of building a house on it in the mean time; there is on it a store house and wharff where shallops can conveniently load and unload, the improvements at the expiration of the lease to be valued by three indifferent persons and paid for by the purchaser, lately the property of Robert L. Hooper, junr. and now sold by the assignees, the title is indisputable.

Edward Kerney,
Gilbert Barkley,
Thomas Wallace,
John Wikoff.
} Assignees.

—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1118, *May* 10, 1764.

Mount-Holly, May 2, 1764.

WHEREAS an Advertisement was published in the last Pennsylvania Gazette, by the Assignees of James Child, in Opposition to the Sale of Mount-Holly Iron works, this is to give public Notice, that the Tenant in Possession, conceiving that James Child has no equitable Right to the Monies said to be due on the Mortgage, and of Consequence none to the Land, he is determined to contend the Matter. In the mean time, to satisfy the Scruples of the Purchaser, the Subscriber will consent, that the whole Monies pretended to be due upon the Mortgage, shall be retained by the Purchaser, and if the final Decision of the

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Suit shall be in Favour of the Mortgagee, then the Purchaser shall be discharged by Receipt upon Payment of the Money in his Hands to the Mortgagee, or his Assigns; otherwise the money reserved, to be paid to the Subscriber. Good Security shall be given for the Performance of the above Articles, to indemnify the Purchaser.

To be sold by public Vendue, on Saturday, the 19th of this instant May, the abovesaid Mount-Holly Iron-works, with all the Apparatus thereunto belonging, Houses, Lands &c, as mentioned in a former Advertisement, and which was adjourned, in order to obviate the Difficulty raised by said Advertisement.

PETER BARD

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1846, *May* 10, 1764.

RUN away from the Subscriber, living in Evesham, in Burlington County, New Jersey, on Sunday, the 6th Instant, an Irish Servant Man, named Alexander M'Donnaugh (or M'Donnell), about 24 Years of Age, about five Feet seven Inches high, slim built, thin Face, down Look, subject to Drink, wears his own dark Hair, a little curled, with a sandy Beard: Had on and took with him, a half worn Felt Hat, bluish coloured Broadcloth Coat, a scarlet Ditto Jacket, both half worn, old Buckskin Breeches, two Pair of Yarn Stockings, one Pair ribbed, the other plain; old fine Shirt, an Ozenbrigs Ditto, and old Shoes, with carved Metal Buckles; he came into the Country last Fall, and is supposed to be gone towards Lancaster, as he has a Brother in that Part of Pennsylvania. Whoever takes up and secures said Servant, in any Goal, so that his Master may have him again, shall have Five Pounds Reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by

ABRAHAM MATLACK.

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N. B. All Masters of Vessels are forbid to carry him off.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1846, *May* 10, 1764.

DESERTED from the New-York Troops, commanded by Major William W. Hogan, Esq; at Schenectady. Of Capt. Richard Rea's Company, Abraham Suthard, aged 30 years, 5 Feet 10 Inches high, born in New-Jersey, dark short Hair. . . . . Of Capt. Dawson's Company, ... Roger Giddons, born in New-Jersey, 5 Feet 8 Inches high, light coloured Hair, blue Eyes. . . . . Of Capt. White's Company, ... Oliver Westover, by Trade a Blacksmith, born in New-Jersey, 5 Feet 9 Inches high, fair Complexion, short black Hair, round Visage, brown Eyes. . . . . All the above Deserters had on when they went away, their Regimentals. Any Person taking up any of them, and secures them in any of his Majesty's Goals, shall receive from the commanding Officer of the New-York Troops, Forty Shillings Reward

RUN-away, on the 22d of April last, from Samuel Cock, of the Township of Mansfield Wood-House, Sussex-County, and Province of West-Jersey, a Negro Man, by Name, HARRY, or Traso, about 5 Feet 10 Inches high, of a very black Complexion, understands playing on a Fiddle, brought up in this Country, about 25 or 26 Years old, a likely Fellow: Had on when he went away, a blue Kersey Coat, with a Cape, and old brown Jacket, without Sleeves, an old Pair of Trowsers, a Pair of blue Breeches, made of Everlasting, and an old Felt Hat. Whoever takes up and secures said Fellow, so that his Master may have him again, shall receive as a Reward, Two Dollars, if taken in the Province of New-Jersey, and *Three,* if in any other Province, and all reasonable

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Charges, paid by Samuel Cock, of the Township aforesaid; or Teunis Post, in Somerset County.

To be sold, at publick Vendue, on Tuesday the 22d Day of May Instant,

THE Dwelling-House and Lot where Samuel Hetfield now lives; containing, about 15 Acres of Upland and Meadow; it is a very commodious Tract, very well watered, by a Brook running through the Middle of it; there is on it, a good new Barn, and about 100 bearing Apple Trees; the said Land is all in good Fence. The Vendue to begin at two o'Clock in the Afternoon, when the Conditions will be made known, by

JOSIAH WYNANTS, and,
EDWARD THOMAS.

Elizabeth-Town, May 4.

To be Sold, at Public Vendue,

On Wednesday the 23d Day of May Inst. to the highest Bidder, and will continue from Day to Day, until the following Houshold Furniture is sold, viz.

FEATHER Beds and Bedding, Looking-glasses, an Eight Day Clock, Tables, Desks, Chest of Drawers, Chairs and Kitchen Furniture, with a Multiplicity of other Things, too tedious to be here enumerated. Likewise, to be sold, on the Premises, on Tuesday the 29th of the same Month, between the Hours of 12 and 5 o'Clock, that commodious and most agreeably situated House, which is long known to be an elegant and well-accustomed Tavern, with the Lot of Land thereunto belonging, situated in Trenton, and is on the Corner, 67 Feet on Queen-Street, and 174 Feet Front on Market Street, adjoining the Lands of William Morris, Esq; William Clayton, Esq; James Smith, and Robert Singer; containing, Half an

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Acre, more or less; the House is built of Brick, 35 by 35 Feet Square, two Stories high, with 4 Rooms on the Lower Floor, and a spacious Entry through it; there is three Rooms on the second Story, one of which is a genteel Assembly Room, with a Door that opens into a fine Balcony, fronting Queen-Street, good Lodging Rooms in the third Story, or Garret, neatly finished, convenient Fire Places in the House, and excellent Cellars underneath the same; also, a large Brick Kitchen, two Stories high, 21 Feet Front on Queen-Street, and 41 Feet back, in which is a Wash-House, with good Lodging Rooms in the second Story and Garret; the Whole compleatly finished; large Stables fronting the Street; with Cow-Houses, Hen-Houses and Pidgeon-Houses; a good Well in the Yard, a good Garden, and every Conveniency in good Repair; late the Property, and now in Possession of Robert Rutherford,[1] seized and taken in Execution, at the Suit of Reed and Petit, and others, and to be sold by

SAMUEL TUCKER, Sheriff.

N. B. The Buyer of the above-mentioned House, will have 6 Months Credit given him for the Payment of the Purchase Money, on giving Security for the same, if required.

PUBLICK Notice is hereby given, that John Graham, who formerly kept the Sign of the Duke of York, at White-Hall, in New-York, now keeps the Sign of the Marquis of Granby, in Elizabeth-Town, in the most publick Part of the Town, and the most noted Tavern[2] for these many Years past, formerly kept by Mrs. Chetwood, but lately by Mr. John Joline. All Gentlemen Travellers, or others, who will be so kind as to favour him with their

[1] For a sketch of Robert Rutherford, see N. J. Archives, XX., p. 168.
[2] Formerly known as the "Nag's Head."

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Custom, may depend upon being used well; he is well provided with Pasture and Stabling.

Elizabeth-Town, May 9, 1764.

JOHN GRAHAM

—*New York Mercury, May* 14, 1764.

Custom House, New York, Cleared Out. Dolphin, Titus Bennett, to Piscataway.

To be Sold,

By the subscriber, living on the premises, A Plantation, containing about 200 acres, situate in the township of Deptford in Gloucester County, west New-Jersey, about 8 miles from the city of Philadelphia, 5 from Gloucester and 2 from a little village called Woodbury, about 1 mile from Delaware river with a fine prospect thereof; there is on it a good 2 story brick house with three rooms on a floor, a kitchen at the end of it, a well of good water before the door, a good barn and stables, a good bearing orchard, with near a 100 acres of the best of meadow and meadow ground lying on Woodbury creek, which is stopt out at the mouth, there is an Act of assembly to protect and maintain the dam and banks equally, according to the quantity of meadow on said creek and branch, the said plantation is under good fence, the meadows well divided with cedar rails, for further particulars enquire of

ABRAHAM CHATTIN.

—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1119, *May* 17, 1764.

Monmouth, New-Jersey, April 2, 1764

By Virtue of a Writ of Fieri Facias to me directed, against the Goods, Chattels, Lands and Tenements of John Tunison, I have seized and taken a certain Tract of Land, containing 240 Acres, lying and being in the Town-

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ship of Middletown, near the High Lands of Neversinks, whereon is a good Dwelling-house, Barn &c, with two bearing Orchards on the same, being pleasantly situated on Shrewsbury River, within about two Miles of Black Point, with Fishing, Fowling, Oystering &c, within 80 Yards of the Door, where Boats daily pass and re-pass to and from New-York. The Land good for Wheat, Rye and Indian Corn; which Tract of Land is to be sold by Way of publick Vendue, on Monday, the Fourth of June next, on the Premises aforesaid, between the Hours of 12 and 5 o'Clock in the Afternoon, by me

JOHN TAYLOR, Sheriff.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1847, *May* 17, 1764.

To be Sold, at Public Vendue,

On Thursday the 7th of June next, on the Premises;

THE Plantation, at New-Bridge, South River, in the Possession of John Lurton, Whoever inclines to purchase the same before the Day of Sale, may apply to Christopher Billop, Esq; at Staten-Island. Bonds with good Security will be taken in Payment.

To be Sold, at Public Vendue,

On Thursday the 14th Day of June next, on the Premises;

ALL the Lands late the Property of John Denniston, of the County of Middlesex, and Province of New-Jersey, deceased; containing Nine Hundred Acres, but may be divided into four Lots, if it will suit the Purchasers; one has a good Frame House, and Well at the Door; upwards of sixty Acres cleared, and in good Fence, the Half good Meadow; Another with a large Frame House, a Dutch Barn, two good Orchards, a large Quantity of Plough and Meadow Ground, clear'd, and in good Fence: The other Lot has on it, a House, and some Land cleared,

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with a new Saw Mill, a good Stream, and Timber in Abundance: Another Lot with 30 or 40 Acres, clear'd and in good Fence, all which Lands are well timber'd, with Hickery and Oak, suitable to supply Brunswick or York Markets, as it lies convenient for the same, within 7 Miles of New-Brunswick, upon George's Road; together with sundry Cattle and Horses. The Conditions of Sale, will be made known at the Day of Sale, and Attendance given by

ARTHUR DENNISTON } Executors,
ANDREW MC. DOWEL }

—*The New York Mercury, May* 21, 1764.

RUN-away on the 15th instant, from Judah Clemans, living near Hattonfield, West New-Jersey: A Dutch servant lad named Jacob Fizeler, about sixteen years old, about five foot high, fair complexion: had on when he went away, a felt hat with a striped lining, and a light coloured jacket with a striped lining, old narrow trowsers, a sore leg, no stockings on, and old shoes tied with strings. Whosoever takes up the said servant and brings him to his master, shall have TWENTY FIVE SHILLINGS reward, and reasonable charges paid by

UDAH CLEMANS.

—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1120, *May* 24, 1764.

MADE his Escape from on board Richard Townshend's Shallop, in the Night between the 16th and 17th instant May, an Irish Servant Man, named Christopher Burns, about 18 Years of Age, about 5 Feet 5 Inches high, of a pretty fair Complexion, smooth Face, and speaks pretty good English: Had on an old Cloth coloured Coat, Check Shirt, Leather Breeches, half-worn Shoes and

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Stockings, and an old Hat. He is just arrived from Ireland, being purchased from on board the last Vessel from thence. Whoever takes up and secures him, so that his Master may have him again, shall have Thirty Shillings Reward and reasonable Charges, paid by AARON LEAMING, at Cape May, or by ROBERT BOYD, Hatter, in Front-street, Philadelphia.

ALL Persons indebted to the Estate of Robert Patterson, deceased, late of Pilesgrove, West-New-Jersey, Shopkeeper, are desired to make immediate Payment to the Subscriber, otherwise the Law will be put in Force against them. All Persons that have any Demands against said Estate, are desired to bring in their Accounts, to be adjusted and paid by

Magdalen Patterson, Administratrix.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1848, *May* 24, 1764.

RUN-away from the Subscriber, living at Bound-Brook, Somerset County, East-New-Jersey, on Wednesday Night, the 8th of May Inst. a lusty Negro Fellow, named Fortune: Had on when he went off, a coarse red Frieze Jacket, with a crimson colour'd Shag Jacket under it, a Pair of Buckskin Breeches, a new Felt Hat, Stockings without Feet, and no Shoes. Any Person taking up and securing said Negro, so that his Master may have him again, shall have Four Dollars Reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by,

FRANCIS BAIRD.

To be Sold,

A Plantation, at Middletown, County of Monmouth, and Province of East New-Jersey, containing between two and 300 Acres of Land, with a very good

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Dwelling-House, with three Fire Places, one of which not quite finished; also, a very good Dutch Barn, with an exceeding good Orchard, well filled with most Sorts of Fruit Trees: The Place is well watered, with Brooks, and living Springs, and about 160 Acres cleared and fit for tilling; there is 7 Acres of good Meadow, and 20 Acres more may be easily made, of the very best Sort: The whole lies about three Miles from the public Landing, where may be had, all Sorts of Fish, Oysters and Clams, and great Plenty of Wild Fowl. There is 20 Acres of the Land sowed with Winter Grain. Whoever inclines to purchase the same may apply to Cornelius Swart, in Freehold, who will give a good Title, and agree for the same on reasonable Terms.—*The New York Mercury, May* 28, 1764.

Princeton, May 24.

THE publick having been informed, some time past, of a purpose to set up an English School at Princeton, as an appendage to the College, and under the general inspection of the president; in which it was proposed, that youth should be taught the English language grammatically, to read with propriety, and pronounce with the graces of utterance and action; also, to write a genteel hand, arithmetic, and the practical branches of the mathematics, &c. This is to notify all whom it may concern, that said school is now opened by Mr. Joseph Periam, a son of this college, who is well qualified for teaching all the particulars aforementioned, and will carefully attend to the morals as well as instruction of the youth.

MADE his escape from the subscriber, high sheriff of Kent county on Delaware, the 24th of April last, a certain Benjamin Arrowsmith, taken by a Cassa,[1] he is about

[1] Ca. sa., i. e., capias satisfaciendum.

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five feet ten inches high, slender withal: Had on when he made his escape, a suit of green cloth: His usual place of abode is supposed to be in the Jerseys. Whosoever takes up the said Benjamin Arrowsmith, and delivers him to the said subscriber, shall have the Reward of THIRTEEN POUNDS, TEN SHILLINGS currant lawful money of this government, paid by

THOMAS COLLINS, Sheriff.

—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1121, *May* 31, 1764.

Cumberland County, West New-Jersey, May 28, 1764.

LAST Week was committed to the Goal of this County, two Negroe Men; the one by the Name of Amos, about 30 Years old, 5 Feet 5 Inches high, who says he was born in Guiney, and is now the Property of Colonel Hopper, of Queen Ann's County, in Maryland; the other calls himself Daniel Rogers, says he is a free Negroe, and that he came from Cambridge, in Dorset County; but as he hath no proper Credentials, and his Companion declares him to be a Slave, these are to desire their Masters to fetch them away, and pay Cost.

HOWELL POWELL, Sheriff.

RUN away from the Subscriber, living in Upper Freehold, Monmouth County, West-New-Jersey, on the 21st of this inst. May, two Negroe Men, one named Toby, a well-set Fellow, about 21 or 22 Years of Age, 5 Feet 5 or 6 Inches high, of a pleasant Countenance for a Negroe, shews his Teeth frequently, which are very white, is square built, with bow Legs, all the Toes on one Foot are short as they have been froze, the Toe next to his great Toe on the other Foot lies over his great Toe, his Coat is redish brown, of bought Cloth, with a green Thick-set Lining, a new Ozenbrigs Shirt, a pretty good Felt Hat;

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had on Leather Breeches, much worn, which he may change; he can play upon the Violin, but not extraordinary well. The other is named Abraham, belonged once to Mr. Emlen in Philadelphia, to Joseph Staniard, and to John Cox of Upper Freehold aforesaid; he can write and read, understands Plantation Business; he is older than the other, and about 5 Feet 9 or 10 Inches high, well built; it is likely he will forge a Pass, and pretend to want a new Master for himself and the other. Whoever secures said Negroes in any Goal, or either of them, so as their Masters may have them again, or brings them home, shall have Twenty Shillings Reward for each, with reasonable Charges, paid by JOSEPH GROVER and JOSEPH COWARD.

STRAYED or stolen from the Subscriber, living in Mansfield Township, Burlington County, and Province of West-New-Jersey, about the 11th Day of March last, a sorrel Horse, with a small white Spot between his Nostrils, both his hind Feet white, one of them hath been sore at the Footlock Joint, and is biger than the other, and has long Hair on it; he is 4 Years old this Spring, a natural Pacer, about 14 Hands high. Whoever takes up said Horse, and secures him, so as the Owner may have him again, shall have Three Pounds Rewards, and reasonable Charges; but if stolen, and the Thief is taken up and secured, so that he may be brought to Justice, Five Pounds, paid by

JOB HARVEY.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1849, *May* 31, 1764.

New-York, June 4. We hear that on Wednesday last an Anchor of Fourteen Hundred and a Half, made at Mr. Hawxhurst's Stirling Iron Works, was delivered in this City, for one of his Majesty's Sloops here. The Anchor

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was seen by several Merchants and Masters of Ships, and much liked, and is supposed to be the largest that was ever made in this Government. It is hoped the Merchants in these Colonies will encourage the Improvement of this valuable Manufactory, seeing it is arrived to so considerable a perfection.

To be Sold, at Public Vendue,

On the first Day of August next, at the House of Thomas Kinney, in Morris Town,

A Tract of Meadow, containing near 300 Acres, either in Lots, or all together, as may best suit the Purchasers. Also, a Tract of Land and Meadow, containing 100 Acres, a considerable Part of which is improved, and now brings good Clover and Timothy; all the above Meadow may be made dry at a very small Expence, and will bring good Hemp, Indian Corn, Flax, Oats, or Clover Hay; the Wood Land well timbered. Also a good 2 Story House, near 50 Feet in length, by 30 in breadth, well finished off, standing a few Rods from Morris Town Court House, and is very suitable for a Shop, Tavern, or Gentleman's Country Seat. Any Person inclining to purchase, that can pay a Part of the Money, may have Credit for the Rest a short Time. The Vendue to begin at 12 o'Clock, and to continue till all is sold, by me

JOHN BUDD.

TO BE SOLD,

A Plantation in East-Jersey, 5 Miles from Monmouth Court House; containing about 600 Acres of good Land and Meadow, about 150 Acres clear, and in good Fence, with a good Dwelling-House and Barn, two Orchards, a Grist-Mill and Saw-Mill, plenty of Water and Timber. The Plantation is carried on as to planting and

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sowing; and the Buyer may settle on it at any Time with these Benefits, and also be supplied with Utensils to carry on the Business. Whoever inclines to purchase the Whole, or any Part, may apply to David Ketcham, on the Premises, who will give a good Title for the same.

RUN-away from Somerset Goal, George Buckelow, about 5 Feet 9 Inches high, of a swarthy Complexion, Pock broken, black Hair, speaks good English, born near South-River, pretends to be a very honest Fellow: Had on when he went away, a blue Broad-Cloth Coat and Breeches, a scarlet Jacket, spotted wove Stockings, a Pair of new Pumps, and a Beaver Hat about half worn. Whoever apprehends him, and brings him to Millstone, to Somerset Goal, shall have Five Pounds Reward, and all reasonable Charges, paid by me

William Millan, Sub. Sheriff and Goaler.

April 28.

TO be sold, by way of publick vendue, on the premises, on Monday the 25th Day of June inst. or at private sale any time before, A farm or plantation, lying and being in Connecticut Farms, New-Jersey; situate on the road that leads from Amboy to Morris-Town, and about a mile and an half from where the subscriber now lives, very convenient for any tradesman. There is on said farm, a good dwelling-house and barn: Said farm contains between 60 and 70 acres, about 13 of which is exceeding fine timber land, 6 acres of good mowing, and the rest plough land and orchard, with a fine brook running through the same, which is open winter and summer. As the money is not wanted, bonds upon interest, with good security, will be taken. Good attendance will be given on the day of sale, at 2 o'Clock in the afternoon, at

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the house of Stephen Woodruff, who lives on the premises.

WILLIAM COOPER

—*The New York Mercury, June* 4, 1764.

RUN AWAY

From the Sheriff of Monmouth county in East Jersey.

ONE SAMUEL EDWARDS, a thick well sett man, wore his own hair, a taylor by trade. Whoever apprehends said prisoner, and confines him in any goal, so that the Sheriff aforesaid may bring him to justice, shall have two pistoles, as a reward paid by me

JOHN TAYLOR, Sheriff.

—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1122, *June* 7, 1764.

The Publick is hereby informed that the Subscriber, who lately kept a Publick-house, at the Sign of the Black Horse, in Mansfield, is removed to Trenton; where he keeps a Publick-house at the Sign of the King of Prussia, in King-street; and is well accommodated with House-room, Stabling, and Pasture. All Travellers, Gentlemen and Ladies, and others, that will favour him with their Custom, may depend on good Entertainment both for themselves and Horses, and civil Treatment, from their humble Servant,

RICHARD COX

STRAYED away, about four Weeks ago, from Gloucester, a grey Mare, about 14 Hands high, paces, trots and gallops, a middling Carriage, her Hoofs pretty much worn, and used to the Geers as well as for a Hackney. Whoever takes her up, and brings or sends her to Edward Broadfield, in Gloucester, shall be handsomely rewarded,

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with Thanks. By Information she went towards Mount-Holly.

WHEREAS Elizabeth, the Wife of Thomas Williams, of Pilesgrove, in Salem County, hath eloped from her said Husband; these are to forewarn all Persons from trusting her on his Account, for he will pay no debts of her contracting from the Date hereof.

THOMAS WILLIAMS

June 7, 1764.

THE TRENTON STAGE-WAGGON.

WHEREAS Jonathan Biles hath declined the Waggoning Business, and sold his Waggons, Horses &c, to John Barnhill, living at the Golden-Ball in Elm-street, between Second and Third streets and near Vine-street, Philadelphia: Notice is hereby given, that the Stage-Waggon sets off from said Barnhill's for Trenton-Ferry, on the usual Days, viz. on Monday's and Thursday's. Passengers, &c will be accommodated with quick and convenient Carriages from this City to New-York, and back again as usual.

N. B. He has fitted up a compleat Tavern, and provided convenient Stabling; so that such as please to favour him with their Custom, may depend on the very best of Usage.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1850, *June* 7, 1764.

One Thomas Barket (as he calls himself) is taken up and confined the 2d of June, in Morris County Goal; says he acted as Clerk to Capt. Ourry, at Fort Bedford, from which Place he absconded on Account of a Misdemeanor he had committed.

JACOB FORD, jun. Sheriff.

—*The New York Mercury, June* 11, 1764.

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FOR
BARBADOS,
The SLOOP
NANCY,
SOLOMON EDEY,
Commander;

Will certainly sail in ten days. For freight or passage apply to said master, or Garrett and George Meade.

N. B. Just imported in said sloop, (and to be seen at Roberts's ferry in the Jersey's,) a parcel of likely new Negro boys and girls, which will be disposed of on very reasonable terms. Also Barbados rum, and muscovado sugar.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1123, *June* 14, 1764.

RUN away from the Subscriber, living in Cranberry, Middlesex County, on the 20th of May last, a Negroe Woman, named Lucy alias Sue, about 30 Years old, a slender, small Woman, wants some of her Teeth, full eyed, her Dress uncertain; she took two quilted Petticoats, one red, the other blue; a blue and white China Gown, and a pair of green Cloth Shoes, which she may change for others. It is supposed she went to Bucks County, to one Lambert Vandyke's, near Shaminy Meeting-house, where she has a Daughter; her Mother and Brother live with Mr. Kemble in Brunswick; she speaks Dutch well. Whoever secures said Negroe, so that her Master may have her again, shall have Twenty Shillings Reward, with reasonable Charges, paid by

PATRICK HANLON.

FOR the Conveniency of all Gentlemen and Ladies that incline to travel by Land, rather than by Water, A STAGE WAGGON is kept by JOHN BUCKINGHAM, at the Sign of

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the Coach and Horses in Race and Third Streets, Philadelphia, and will begin on Wednesday, the 20th Instant to proceed to Dunks's Ferry, and JOHN BUTLER, of Bordentown, will also meet with another Waggon at the said Ferry, and change Loads, both returning to Philadelphia and Bordentown the same Day, the next Day being the common Stage Day at Bordentown (Sunday excepted) from whence the Passengers will proceed to Perth-Amboy as usual; from and after the said 20th Instant the said Stage Waggons will set out from Philadelphia and Bordentown every Wednesday and Saturday, so that any Number of Passengers that travel by Bordentown Stages from New-York or Philadelphia, not exceeding what one Waggon can carry, may have their Choice to go from Bordentown to Philadelphia, or from Philadelphia to Bordentown by Land, and as many as please by Water: Our best Endeavours shall not be wanting to give Ease and Dispatch to Passengers.

JOHN BUCKINGHAM,
JOHN BUTLER, *jun.*

N. B. Those Gentlemen and Ladies that please to favour us with their Custom, are desired to send their heavy Baggage by the Bordentown Boats, as they will then have them under their own Care on the Roads to Amboy.

By Virtue of His Majesty's Writs of Venditioni Exponas to me directed, there will be exposed to Sale, by publick Outcry, to the highest Bidder, on Wednesday, the 27th of this inst. June, between the Hours of 12 and 5 o'Clock, at the House of Thomas Hepard, in the Township of Northampton, in the County of Burlington, The Plantation whereon the said Hepard now dwells, containing about 280 Acres, adjoining on the North Branch of Rancocus Creek, about a Mile and a Half from Mount-

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holly, Also will be sold at the same Time, a Piece of Cedar Swamp, lying about two Miles from Josiah Hains's Saw-mill, containing six Acres. Likewise, at the same Time and Place, will be sold Horses, Cows, a Pair of Oxen, a Parcel of Swine, Feather Beds and Bedding, Case of Drawers, Desk, and sundry other Houshold Goods and farming Utensils, all late the Property of the said Thomas Hepard; seized and taken in Execution at the Suits of Eleazer Fenton, John Sparks, and others, by

DANIEL ELLIS, Sheriff.

SHREWSBURY STAGE, from BURLINGTON.

This is to acquaint the Publick, That there is a convenient Stage Waggon erected and kept by Joseph Haight at the Sign of General Wolfe, in Burlington, to go from Burlington to Shrewsbury or elsewhere during the Summer Season, which Stage will go once a Week if Occasion requires from the Date hereof, and to carry six Persons: John Ferguson's Stage Boat will attend at Crooked Billet Wharff, in Philadelphia, every Wednesday in each Week, and the Waggon will set off on Thursday Morning. The Price of the Waggon to Shrewsbury will be Forty-five Shillings, if four Persons or under, if above, and not exceeding six, Fifty Shillings. All Gentlemen and Ladies that will please to favour us with their Custom, may depend that there will be good Attendance given, and People civilly used, by their humble Servants,

JOSEPH HAIGHT, JOHN FERGUSON.

Burlington, June 13, 1764

This is to acquaint the Public, that I have moved from Bordentown to Black Point, about 6 Miles from Shrewsbury Town; where all Gentlemen and Ladies, who intend going there, for the Benefit of the Salts, may depend on

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good Accommodation, and best Usage, from their most humble Servant,

JOHN BROWN.

WHEREAS Joseph Grover and John Coward, of Upper Freehold, Monmouth County, West-New-Jersey, did advertise in the public Papers of the 31st of May last, two Runaway Negroes; these are to inform the said Persons, that the Negroes are now in Reading Goal, in Pennsylvania, and they are hereby desired to come and pay Costs, and take them away.

ISAAC WICKERSHAM, Goaler.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1851, *June* 14, 1764.

New-York, June 18. On Monday Evening last, the NEW-YORK LIGHT-HOUSE, erected at Sandy-Hook,[1] was lighted for the first Time. The House is of an Octagon Figure, having eight equal Sides; the Diameter at the Base, 29 Feet; and at the Top of the Wall, 15 Feet. The Lanthorn is 7 Feet high; the Circumference 33 Feet. The whole Construction of the Lanthorn is Iron; the Top covered with Copper. There are 48 Oil Blazes. The Building from the Surface is Nine Stories; the whole from Bottom to Top, 103 Feet. This Structure, was undertaken by Mr. Isaac Conro, of this City, and was carried on with all the Expedition that the Difficulty attending to and fro on the Occasion could possibly admit of; and is judged to be masterly finished

To the PUBLIC.

THIS Day the Printer hereof hath received the List of the Fortunate Numbers in the New-Jersey College Lottery; as the Prizes are very numerous, it is im-

[1]For notices of the beginnings of this Light-House, see N. J. Archives, XX., under Lotteries, New York, Sandy Hook.

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possible for him to publish them till next Monday. The Managers beg Leave to apologize for the Delay, occasioned by unavoidable Avocations, and the Distance of the Clerks and Managers from each other. And they would further humbly request of the Fortunate, that they would be so kind as to forbear calling on them for a few Weeks, as the most considerable Part of the Tickets were disposed of upon Credit, and some time will be necessarily required to collect the Cash.

RUN-away a few days ago from the subscriber, of Morris Town, in East New-Jersey, a servant man, named Ebenezer Haulbeet, a carpenter by trade, about 25 years old, about 5 feet 8 or 9 inches high, light complexion, flax colour'd straight hair; rode a white horse, which it is supposed he would soon part with, as he is very fond of swaping horses. He is supposed to be gone to Connecticut, somewhere near or about Sharon, where he has some relations of the same name. Whoever takes up said servant, and secures him in any county goal, so that I may obtain him again, shall have five pounds reward, paid by me

June 18. JOSEPH KING.

To be Sold,
By JOHN MECOM,

Opposite the White Hart Tavern, in Albany-street, New-Brunswick, the following Articles, which he will sell cheap for Cash: 3d, 4d, 5d and 6d trunk nails, hob do. tacks and brads of all sorts, 4d, 8d, 10d, 12d, 20d, and 24d nails; paving, socket, long and short firmer chissels, gouges of all sorts, plane irons, coopers drawing knives, carpenters hammers, broad axes and wood ditto, shoemakers knives and hammers, awls and awl hafts, shoe tacks, an assortment of horne, split bone, and sham buck knives and forks, Barlow's and common pen-knives, buck

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ditto, burnt bone ditto, pistol capt and cutteau knives of all sorts, brass, iron, japanned and steel snuffers, brass chaffin dishes, round and square iron ditto, shovels and tongs with and without brass heads, an assortment of door, chest, cubboard and pad locks, hinges of all sorts, carpenters two feet and nine inch solid joint rules, iron squares, chalk lines, horn and ivory combs, steel and white metal shoe and knee buckles, mourning ditto, White's steel plate hand, pannel, tennent, sash, dovetail, and compass saws, files and rasps, taylors and sheep shears, women scissors of all sorts, iron shovels and spades, long and short scythes, Scotch snuff in bladders, writing paper, and a general assortment of sadlery, and many other articles in the ironmongery and cutleryway, too tedious to mention. Said Mecom makes and sells all sorts of jewellers and goldsmiths ware; those therefore that will favour him with their custom, may depend on being served on the most reasonable terms.—*The New York Mercury, June* 18, 1764.

To be Sold,

Two likely negro girls about 17 years of age, to be seen at the ferry opposite Philadelphia. For terms apply to Capt. Robert Whyte, or at the Coffee-House.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1124, *June* 21, 1764.

By Virtue of two Writs of Fieri Facias, to me directed, will be exposed to Sale, on the 16th Day of July next, between the Hours of 12 and 5 of the Clock in the Afternoon, on the Premises, a certain Plantation, containing about 350 Acres, situate in Greenwich Township, Gloucester County, near Samuel Shivers's Saw-mill, about 20 Miles from the City, and 6 to a good Landing; it is supposed that there is 60 Acres of Meadow on the Land, 15 of which is cleared, a Dwelling-house, and other Outhouses, a thriving Orchard, a considerable Quantity of

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Upland cleared, and fit for Tillage, and a convenient Outlot for Cattle and Swine adjoining it. At the same Time and Place will be exposed to Sale, by Virtue of the said Executions, Oxen, Cows, Horses, Sheep, Hogs and sundry Houshold Goods, and Husbandry Utensils, such as Ploughs, Harrows, Waggons, &c late the Property of John Ogg, taken in Execution at the Suit of the Administrator and Executor of Nicholas and Elias Toy, deceased. Any Persons that have Mortgages, or other Incumbrances, on the abovementioned Land, are desired to make the same known at or before the Day of Sale. Credit will be allowed, upon Security being given, if required.

ROBERT FREIND PRICE, Sheriff

To be sold at public Vendue, on Tuesday, the 14th of August next, at the House of William Rea, in Kingwood, An Assortment of Shop Goods, consisting of Broadcloths, Kerseys, Naps, Serges, Saggathies, Damasks, London Shaloon, Durants, Tammies, Calimancoes of various Colours, Thicksets, Fustians, Jeans, Cotton and striped Holland, narrow and wide Cottons and Linen Checks, Irish Linens, Cambricks, Lawns, Muslin, Camblets, Camblettees, Silk Handkerchiefs, sewing Silk, Ribbons, Tapes, Bindings, Earthen-ware, Delf-ware, Tea Cups and Saucers, Tea-Pots, Scythes, Frying-pans, Window Glass, Wine Glasses, Felt Hats, fine Ditto, Pewter Dishes and Spoons, Tea Kettles, Knives and Forks, Scissars, Razors, &c Feather Bed and Bedding, black Walnut Desk, Tables, Chairs, Hand-irons, with sundry other Houshold Goods and Farming Utensils; also Cattle, Horses and breeding Mares. Likewise on the same Day will be sold, between the Hours of 12 and 5 o'Clock in the Afternoon, The Stone House and four Acres of Land, wherein the said William Rea now dwells; the House is two Stories high, with a young Orchard on the Land, and is well situated

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for a Trader. Also a Lot of Land, containing one Acre, bounded by Lands of Thomas Armstrong, and fronting the main Road. Likewise a Lot of Land, situate in the Great Swamp, near the main Road, containing nine Acres, more or less, bounded by Lands of Abraham Bunnell and others. The above House and Lots of Land are now in the Possession, and were late the Property of, William Rea; seized and taken in Execution at the Suits of John Shea, Theophilus Gardner, Randle Mitchell, Samuel Purviance and others, and to be sold by me

SAMUEL TUCKER, Sheriff

N. B. Six Months Credit will be given for all Sums above Forty Shillings, all under that Sum to pay ready Money. The Vendue will begin at 10 o'Clock, where attendance will be given.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1852, *June* 21, 1764.

List of the Fortunate Numbers in the New-Jersey College Lottery, drawn at Princeton, in May, 1764.

[Here follows list.]

First drawn, No. 12484, £. 20.
Last drawn, No. 382, £ 32.10.

DEDUCTIONS

For a Prize of £. 3,	receive £. 2.11
10	8.10
20	17.
50	42.10
100	85.
200	170
500	425
750	637.10
1000	850
32.10	27 12.6

DAVID PINKERTON, Clerk.

—*The New York Mercury, June* 25, 1764.

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RAN-AWAY *last night from the subscriber, living in Deptford township, Gloster county: a Scotch servant man, named James Bain, 23 years of age, about five feet six or seven inches high, wears his own long brown hair, cut short before; he has a smooth face, with a small dimple in his left cheek, and speaks pretty much in the Scotch dialect. Had on and took with him, a blue tammy coat almost new, a light coloured hair-camblet jacket without sleeves, several pair of yarn stockings, a beaver hat about half-worn, with a blue silk lining, two oznabrigs shirts, two pair of oznabrigs trowsers, a pair of old leather breeches and old shoes. Whoever will take up said servant, and deliver him to his master in Deptford, or secure him in any of his Majesty's goals, so that he may be had again, shall receive* FORTY SHILLINGS *reward and all necessary charges paid by*

JOHN ESTAUGH HOPKINS.

N. B. All masters of vessels are forewarned carrying off said fellow, as they would avoid the penalty of the law.
—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1125, *June* 28, 1764.

To be sold by the Subscriber, living in Bordentown, a Lot of Land containing 10 Acres, situate and lying on the Road that leads from Bordentown to Trenton, about Half a Mile from Bordentown; the Land is chiefly well timbered, and on which there is good Clay, which I think would suit a Potter or Brickmaker; it is very convenient to a good Landing on Crosswicks Creek, or to the Landing in Bordentown, also a fine country round it, which makes a great Consumption of Earthen-ware, which is now at this Time obliged to send to Philadelphia for Ware, which makes it come high, and consequently it would come £5 per Cent lower here, which would induce the Country to buy here. Any Person may know the Terms by applying to the Subscriber ABEL EDWARDS.

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TO BE SOLD

A TRACT of choice Land, in the Township of Hopewell, and County of Hunterdon, New Jersey, situate with a large and pleasant Front on the River Delaware, adjoining to the Lands of Garret Johnson, Joseph Burrows and others. It contains 334 Acres, of which above 100 are cleared, and, with a convenient Dwelling-house, lately repaired, are for this Year, occupied by Joseph Morrell. It is about seven Miles from Trenton, and 30 from Philadelphia by Land. The chiefest Part of the whole Tract is strong shelly Wheat Land, and may be sold together, or in Parcels. The Purchaser, or Purchasers, may have reasonable Credit. For Terms enquire of JOHN SMITH, in Burlington.

RUN away from the Subscriber, living in Trenton, New-Jersey, on the 21st of June, a Negroe Man, named Tony, a thick, chunky well set Fellow, about 30 Years of Age, about 5 Feet 7 or 8 Inches high, has a remarkable Way of walking as if he was a little lame, and stoops a little forward: Had on when he went away, a light coloured Cloth Jacket, with Patches at the Elbows, Ozenbrigs Shirt and Trowsers, old Hat, old Shoes, has a bad Cut in his left Thumb, fresh cut just before he went away. Whoever takes up said Negroe, and secures him in any of His Majesty's Goals, so that his Master may have him again, shall have Forty Shillings Reward, and all reasonable Charges, paid by me

WILLIAM LISTER

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1853, *June* 28, 1764.

WHEREAS Peter Ten Eyck, of the County of Middlesex, in New-Jersey, hath assigned all his Estate, of what Nature or kind soever, to the Subscribers,

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who are fully authorized and impowered to transact every Matter relative to said Estate. All Persons therefore indebted to said Peter Ten Eyck, are hereby strictly required immediately to make Payment, of their several Dues to

Cornelius Low, Jun. at Brunswick.
John Johnston, at Amboy.
Or, Joseph Forman, at New-York.

June 14, 1764.

—*The New York Mercury, July* 2, 1764.

We hear the Revd, Mr. GEORGE WHITEFILD is at Princeton on his Way to this City, and may be expected this evening or to-morrow.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1126, *July* 5, 1764.

Run away from the Subscriber, living near Cranberry, in the County of Middlesex, New-Jersey, a high Dutch Servant Man, named by his Indenture Philip Jacob Bargolt, but understand he has since gone by the Name of John Backman, he is of middle Stature, brown Complexion, somewhat knock kneed. Whoever apprehends and secures said Servant, so that his Master may have him again, shall have Three Pounds Reward, paid by

DAVID WILLIAMSON.

NOTICE is hereby given to all Persons concerned, in the Lands adjoining to the several Branches of Esiscunk, or Birch Creek, in the County of Burlington, that Application will be made, at the next Sitting of General Assembly, to be held at Burlington, for a Law to provide for opening and clearing the said Creek, and the several Branches thereof, for the Benefit of the Meadows adjoining. Any Person or Persons having Objection to such an Application, are desired then to make it known.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1854, *July* 5, 1764.

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List of Letters remaining in the Post-Office, New-York, July 6, 1764.

. . . . John Colhoun (3) Shrewsbury River. . . . . Thomas Willit, Middletown, New-Jersey. . . . .

RAN-away from Sterling Iron Works, on Monday the 25th of June, 1764, an indented servant man named James Hodges, about 13 years of age, thick set, 5 feet 7 inches high, of a brown complexion, long hair, born at Bristol, in old England; and says he served a time there as a groom, or ostler, and has pretended to correspond with some of general Gage's Servants: He took with him a light barracan or camblet coat, with metal buttons, two pair of new shoes, a pair of striped Holland trowsers, and 2 pair of leather breeches, one of them very little worn. Whoever takes up and secures said servant, in any goal, or delivers him to W. Hawxhurst, in New-York, or to his agent at Sterling, shall have forty shillings reward, and reasonable charges. If the said servant has strol'd further west than Jersey, or eastward than Connecticut, then the sum of three pounds, and reasonable Charges, paid by the subscriber,

WM. HAWXHURST.

RUN-away from the subscriber, on the 4th of July inst. an apprentice lad named Benjamin Darby, aged about 20 years, about 4 feet 7 inches high, broad faced and bulky, fresh complexion, dark hair, grey eyes, and when he laughs you can hardly see them; his countenance looks very guilty, much like a thief, a down look, carries his head something on one side, cannot well look a man in the face, and loves strong liquor; a cordwainer and tanner by trade. Stole and took away with him, an almost new suit of mixed yellow broad cloth, and also a good blue broad cloth jacket and breeches, sundry shirts

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and stockings, an almost new castor hat, a new pair of shoes, and pinchbeck buckles in them, and a cordwainer's kit: I suppose he will soon enquire for a seat of work, and endeavour to pass for a journeyman. Whoever will secure the said apprentice, or thief, and bring him to his master, at Elizabeth-Town, in New-Jersey, shall have three pounds, New-York currency reward, paid by me,

MOSES OGDEN

N. B. He has stole his indentures, and I suppose he has them with him. All masters of vessels and are forbid to harbour or carry off said lad, at their peril.—*The New York Mercury, July* 9, 1764.

Custom House, Philadelphia, Entered In. Sloop Abigail, P. Groves, to Salem. Schooner Salisbury, M. Coombes, to Salem.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1127, *July* 12, 1764.

ALL sorts of Watches, Clocks, Jewellery, and Plate, repair'd in the best manner and upon reasonable Terms by

ISAAC HERON,

In Bound-Brook, New-Jersey. All Watches repair'd by him, he upholds and warrants their Performance for one Year: those he sells, he warrants for a Term of Years, according to their value, provided their failure proceed not from Accident or mismanagement.

Good News for the PUBLICK.

THE long wished for Ferry, is now established, and kept across the North River, from the Place called Powles's Hook to the City of New-York; and Boats properly constructed, as well for the Conveniency of Passengers, as for the carrying over of Horses and Carriages, do now constantly ply from one Shore to the other. The

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Landing on the New-York Side is fixed at the Dock commonly called Mesier's Dock; and as Powles's Hook, is situated nearly opposite to the said Dock, the Distance between the two Places being about three Quarters of a Mile, and as the Boats may pass and repass, at all Times of the Tide, with almost equal Dispatch; it is thought by far the most convenient Place for a Ferry, of any yet established, or that can be established, from the Province of New-Jersey, to the City of New-York; and what will give it the Preference by far, of all the other Ferries, in the Winter Season, is that rarely a Day happens, but the Boats may pass at this Ferry, without being obstructed or endangered by Ice. Constant Attendance is given at Powles's Hook, by Michael Cornelisse, where the best of Stabling and Pasture is provided for Horses.

Also, that a Ferry is established, and kept a-cross the Kill Van Kull, and that Boats constantly attend for that Purpose, at the Place formerly belonging to John Beak, and commonly called Moodases, situate near the Dutch Church, on Staten-Island, from whence Passengers are transported directly across the Bergen Point, from which Place there is a fine Road leading directly to the said Powles's Hook; so that a short, safe, easy and convenient Way is fixed by Means of these Two Ferries, for all Travellers passing to the City of New-York, from any of the Southern Governments.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Meetings of the Council of Proprietors of the Eastern Division of New-Jersey, at the City of Perth-Amboy, are altered to the 1st Tuesday in April, and 2d Tuesday in September. —*The New York Mercury, July* 16, 1764.

Custom-House, Philadelphia, Entered In. Sloop Polly, William Bartlett, from Salem.

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Outwards. Sloop Polly, W. Bartlett, for Salem.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1128, *July* 19, 1764.

Extract of a Letter from Oswego, June 19, 1764.

"I have the Pleasure of informing you, that all the New Jersey Forces arrived safe here.

DESERTED from the PENNSYLVANIA REGIMENT, since the First of July Instant, the following Soldiers, viz.

From Capt. JOHN WEBB's Company; John Russel, born in New-Jersey, 22 Years of Age, five Feet six Inches high, brown Complexion, a Cooper. Daniel Cole, born in New-Jersey, 20 Years of Age, five Feet six Inches high, brown Complexion. . . . Whoever takes up and secures the said Deserters, or either of them, in any of the Goals of this Province, or brings them to the Regiment, shall have THREE POUNDS Reward for each of them, paid by

James Young, Commissary
of the Musters. P. F.

By Virtue of three Writs of Fieri Facias to me directed, will be exposed to Sale, at publick Vendue, to the highest Bidder, on Monday, the 3d Day of September next, at the House of Charles Hoff, jun, in Kingwood, sundry Sorts of Houshold Furniture, such as Feather Beds and Bedding, Tables, Chairs, Chests of Drawers, Desks, Looking glasses, Table-cloths, napkins, black Walnut Tea Tables, Tea Kettles, Brass Kettles, Pewter Platters, Basons, Plates, Tankards, some large and small Silver Spoons, Iron Pots and Kettles; also Horses, Mares, Milch Cows, young Cattle, a Pair of Oxen, Sheep, Hogs, Waggons, Carts, Timber Wheels, and sundry other Things, too tedious to mention here. Likewise to be sold the same Day, between the Hours of Twelve and Five of the Clock in the Afternoon, the Mansion House and over-

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shot Grist-mill, together with 97 Acres and a Half of Land, being Lot No. 2 in the Plan, on which is a good Barn, Store and bearing Orchard, and some excellent Meadows; Lot No. 3, on which is a Log House, and contains 6 Acres and 3 Quarters, and 36 Perches, well situated on the great Road, and will suit a Tradesman; Lot No. 4 being a small Farm, containing 67 Acres and 3 Quarters; Lot No. 5, containing 29 Acres and 3 Quarters, on which are some good Buildings, all new; Lot No. 6, containing 6 Acres and 3 Quarters, on which is a good Stone House, and Breast Grist-mill and Saw-mill and some good Meadows; Lot No 7, containing 15 Acres and a Quarter, on which is a Fulling-mill, Dwelling-house and good Meadows, sufficient for a Tradesman; Lot No. 8, is a small Farm, containing 91 Acres and a Half; Lot No. 9, containing 51 Acres and a Half and 33 Perches, on which is an Iron Works for making Bar-iron, with Coal-Houses, and Houses for Workmen to dwell in, situated near a large Tract of Land called The Great Swamp, from whence it hath been supplied with Coal Wood gratis, and much more is offered on the same Terms; Lot No. 1, containing 119 Acres and a Half of Wood Land; also a Quantity of Bar-iron. The above several Lots and Parcels of Land are situate in Kingwood, in the County of Hunterdon, adjoining each other, in the Heart of a fine Wheat Country, near to several Places of Worship viz. Church, Quakers and Presbyterians, the farthest being not three Miles distant; about thirty Miles from Trenton and New-Brunswick; late the Property of Charles Hoff, jun. seized and taken in Execution (subject to Mortgages) at the Suit of John Mease, Ann Pidgeon, Andrew Reed, and Charles Pettit, and to be sold by me

SAMUEL TUCKER, Sheriff.

N. B. The Purchaser to have three equal Payments of

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6, 12, and 18 Months, giving Security, and paying Interest. A Plan of the above Lands to be seen at the Sheriff's, in Trenton.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1856, *July* 19, 1764.

To be Sold, at Public Vendue,

On Wednesday the 5th Day of September next, at ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, on the Premises,

About 350 Acres of Land, lying on Bergen Point, adjoining to Kill Van Cull, opposite to the Dutch Church on Staten-Island; which Land is a rich Soil, and mostly well wooded and timbered, and well situated for ferrying to Staten-Island. The above Lands are set apart, and to be sold by us the Subscribers, for defraying the Charge of the general Partition of the Common Lands of Bergen, pursuant to an Act of the General Assembly of the Colony of New-Jersey, entitled, *An Act appointing Commissioners for finally settling and determining the several Rights Titles, & Claims to the Common Lands of the Township of Bergen; & for making the Partition thereof in just and equitable Proportions among those who shall be adjudged by the said Commissioners to be entitled to the same.*

The said Land will be sold together or in Parcels, as shall be judged most expedient; the Money to be paid at executing the Deeds, which will contain ample Covenants agreeable to the directions of the said Law.

Charles Clinton
William Donaldson
Ez. Dunham,
John Berrien,
Abraham Clark, Jun.

To all whom these Presents may concern, and particularly to such as claim any Interest in the Common Lands

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of the Township of *Bergen,* in the County of *Bergen,* in the Province of New-Jersey.

WHEREAS by a late Law of the Colony of New-Jersey, entitled, *An Act appointing Commissioners, for finally settling and determining the several Rights, Titles and Claims to the Common Lands of the Township of* Bergen; *and for making a Partition thereof in just and equitable Proportions, among those who shall be adjudged by the said Commissioners to be entitled to the same:* Certain Persons are therein named as Commissioners, of whom we the Subscribers are the major Part. And whereas such of the Commissioners as took upon them the Execution of said Law, did meet in the said Township of *Bergen,* pursuant to public Notice thereof given, agreeable to the Directions of the said Law: and did run out and ascertain as well the Bounds and Limits of the said Township of *Bergen,* as the Bounds and Limits of each and every Patent and Grant contained within the Bounds and Limits of the said Township, as came to the Knowledge of the Commissioners; and also allotted to each Patent and Grant so run out and ascertained, such Proportions of the Common Lands within said Township, as the said Commissioners judged right, agreeable to the Directions of the said Law. Now therefore, towards compleating the Trust in the said Commissioners, or the major Part of them reposed, we the Subscribers do hereby give public Notice, that at 10 o'Clock in the Forenoon of Tuesday the 16th Day of October next, at the House of Stephen Bourdet, at Wehaken, in the said Township of Bergen, we, or a Majority of the said Commissioners, will meet, to make a Partition and Division of the said Common Lands allotted to each respective Patent or Grant within the Bounds and Limits of the said Township of *Bergen,* to which a Share of the

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Common Lands have been allotted as aforesaid, among all such Persons who may be adjudged to be interested therein. And we do hereby request all Persons concerned or claiming Interest in the Common Lands allotted to the said respective Patents or Grants, to produce to us, some, or one of us, their Titles, and make out their Claims to the same, by the Time above prefixed, in order that we may be truly informed thereof, and thereby be enabled to adjudge the same in the most just and equitable Manner. Given under our Hands, this 21st Day of July, in the Year 1764.

CHARLES CLINTON,
WILLIAM DONALDSON,
EZ. DUNHAM
JOHN BERRIEN, jun.

LIST of LETTERS *remaining in the Post-Office, Philadelphia*

John Boyd, Salem County; Philip Calvin, Amwell Township; Adam Carson, Cumberland County. Elizabeth Huff, Haddonfield. Thomas Kearney, Salem County. Archibald M'Callister, Salem County; John Murphey, Gloucester County; Samuel M'Cutchin, Hance Morrison, Archibald M'Neil, and John M'Clelan Cumberland County Daniel Stretch Cumberland County. John Williamson, Cumberland County.

Taken or stolen from the Subscriber, from off the common High-way, in or near Allen-Town, in Monmouth County, New-Jersey, on Thursday last, between 2 and 3 o'Clock in the Afternoon, A small black roan or Iron-grey Horse, about 12 or 13 Hands high, a natural Pacer, his Mane hanging on the near Side, without Brand or Ear-mark: He was taken by an Apprentice Boy, named John Keith, a slender well shaped Lad, with pale Hair.

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tied behind, about 15 Years of Age: Had on a light coloured Coat and Jacket, of figured twilled Drugget, Buff coloured Stocking Breeches, white Shirt, Felt Hat, a black Ribbon about his Neck, neither Shoes nor Stockings, as advertised last Week in the Pennsylvania Journal, by his Master, Mr. William Hussey, in Front-street, Philadelphia; though since that, when the said Boy stole the Horse he had good Shoes and Stockings and Silver Buckles, said to be stolen. He left a black Mare, that he had taken from a Boy, when he took the Horse; she was Yesterday delivered to her Owner. Whoever secures both Thief and Horse, so as the Thief may be brought to Justice, shall receive Forty Shillings Reward, and if only the Horse be taken, and sent home, Twenty Shillings and Charges, to be paid by

July 17, 1764. ROBERT LAWRENCE.

N. B. Said Boy and Horse went over the Ferry from Burlington to Bristol last Friday morning.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1857, *July* 26, 1764.

New-York, July 30. We hear from Brunswick, that on the 11th Instant, the House of the Honourable Edward Antill, Esq; near that Place, was accidentally set on Fire, by the Discharge of a Gun: It was not discovered by the People about the House, till they were informed by those who came from the Meadows to their Assistance, which was just in Time to save it; 5 Minutes more would have been too late. The Roof and some other Parts were considerably damaged, before the Fire was extinguished.

TO be sold by, and adjoining the Mills of the Subscriber, in the County of Somerset, and Province of New-Jersey, about 1200 Acres of excellent Land, in one or more Parts, lying in the Forks of the Lamaton River,

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and the Peapack Brook; There are on the Premises, two Dwelling-Houses, Barns, and Orchards at convenient Distances; about 500 Acres or more cleared; a great Plenty of fine Timber; some exceeding fine Swamps fit for Meadow Low Lands, to the Amount of 200 Acres and upwards, all in extraordinary order, and the whole in good Fence; the Lands allowed to be equal to, if not exceeding any in that Part of the Country, either for Grain or Pasture; very reasonable Payments will be accepted, and a good and sufficient Title given. As the Lands are known to be so good in Quality, and have all the Advantages of Situation, with respect to Mill, Market and Meeting-House, the lowest Price for any of the Land, is Six Pounds, New-York Currency per Acre, and it may be entered upon as soon as the Purchaser pleases. Enquire of Andrew Leake, at his Mills, in Somerset County.

N. B. It can very conveniently be divided into 4, 5 or 6 Farms, all well watered and timbered.—*The New York Mercury, July* 30, 1764.

Moore's Town, Burlington County.

WANTED, a Schoolmaster, to teach the English Language grammatically, write a genteel Hand, Arithmetic, and the useful Branches of the Mathematics; and if he could teach the Latin, it would be more agreeable to some of his Employers. Good Encouragement will be given to one that comes well recommended. Enquire of John Cox, or Joshua Bispham, living near the said Place.

New-Jersey, Middlesex, Ss.

By Virtue of several Writs of Fieri Facias to me directed, I have seized a certain Lot of Land, situate in the Township of Windsor, with a Dwelling-House two Stories high, a kitchen, and sundry Out-houses, and a

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Grist-mill, with all her Furniture. Also one other Lot of Land, adjoining to the former with a Dwelling-house and Saw-mill, which Lands and Premises were late the Estate of Christopher Hogeland,[1] deceased, and are well situated for a Merchant. Now this is to give Notice, that I shall expose the aforesaid Lands, Houses and Mills, to Sale at public Vendue on the Premises, on Thursday, the 30th Day of August instant, between the Hours of 12 and 5 in the Afternoon; at which Time and Place the Conditions will be made known, and those who are inclined to purchase, may be more particularly informed of the Premises, by me

James Brookes, Sheriff.

To be LETT

A GOOD Dwelling-house, with Chaise-house and Stable, a Garden, with several Kinds of Fruit Trees, and a Well of excellent Water, pleasantly situated in Crosswicks, Burlington County, near the Meeting-house, very suitable for a Country Store or Tradesman. Enquire of John Wilkinson, in Chestnut-street, Philadelphia, or of Benjamin Davids, near the Premises.

Just published by THOMAS POWELL, Master of the Boarding School at Burlington,

THE WRITING MASTER'S ASSISTANT;

containing a concise and practical System (in Copper Plate) for teaching to write; designed both for the Use of Schools and private Families; insomuch that Masters

[1] Christopher Hooglandt (son of Christoffel Hooglandt, the progenitor of the family in America) was baptised in New York, Nov. 24, 1669; he married 1st, Sarah Tellet or Teller, Feb. 15, 1695; 2d, Helena, daughter of John and Adrianna Middagh, prior to Aug. 6, 1696. He lived at Flatlands, L. I., but in 1711 he bought from Cornelius Powell a tract of land in Piscataway, Middlesex county, on the east side of the Raritan river, and in 1727 bought 250 acres on the Millstone river. He died in 1748, and was interred in the family burying ground, where his remains still repose.—*The Hoagland Family in America*, by Daniel Hoogland Carpenter, 1897, pp. 63-64.

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may teach a much greater Number of Scholars by the Use of it, than by the common Methods of Schools; and Parents may, by the proper Application of it (if far different[1] from a School) instruct their own Children to write well in a short Time; a Person may improve an indifferent Hand; or One, who has never learnt before, may learn, if of a proper Age, without the Help of a Master.

N. B. Directions how to hold the Pen, how to sit, and how to use the Plates severally, are prefixed to the Work. Sold by DAVID HALL at Philadelphia, and by the AUTHOR at Burlington, Price Five Shillings.[2]

There is a Vacancy for Half a Dozen Boarders at the above School. Where also the Latin and Greek Languages are taught by ROBERT OSBORNE.

WE, whose Names are underwritten, having seen both the above System, and considerable Improvements produced by the Use of it, do believe it may answer the Purposes above advertised, if proper Application be used by the Learner.

SAMUEL SMITH,
JOHN SMITH,
CHARLES READ

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1858, *August* 2, 1764.

RUN away from Dr. Bern Budd, of Hanover, in Morris County, East New-Jersey, a likely well set Negroe Man, about 5 Feet, 9 or 10 Inches high, of a yellow Complexion: Had on, when he went away, a blue Broadcloth Coat, with Tortoise-shell Buttons, a double breasted Broadcloth Jacket, with Mohair Buttons and Leather

[1] distant.

[2] Hildeburn's Issues of the Press in Pennsylvania, No. 2041. Mr. Hildeburn evidently had not seen a copy of the book.

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Breeches. He took with him 3 white Shirts, a Check Ditto, a Snuff coloured Manchester Velvet Jacket, one striped Jacket, and a Pair of wide Trowsers. He speaks good English, understands all Sorts of Farmer's Work, and something of the Sea, and no Doubt will endeavour to pass for a free Negroe, as he can write any Pass he thinks necessary. Whoever takes up the said Negroe, and confines him in any of his Majesty's Goals, and sends his said Master Notice, so that he may have him again, or brings him to his said Master, shall receive TEN DOLLARS Reward, and all reasonable Charges, paid by

BERN BUDD.[1]

N. B. All Masters of Vessels and others are forbid, on their Peril, to carry him off, or harbour him.

COMMITTED to the Goal of Trenton, in the County of Hunterdon, a Negroe Boy, about 17 or 18 Years of Age, appears to be a new Negroe, speaks very little English, says his Master's Name is Andrew; has on a striped Jacket, old Trowsers, and Tow Shirt. His Master is desired to come and pay Charges, and take him away.

GEORGE BROWN, Goaler.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1859, *August* 9, 1764.

London, June 2.

To be Sold by PUBLIC SALE, *and not otherwise,*

At the New-York Coffee-house in Sweething's Alley, Cornhill, London, on Wednesday the 6th Day of March, 1765, at Twelve o'Clock precisely.

SEVEN eights of a proprietorship (or One Twenty-fourth part) of all that very valuable colony, the province of EAST NEW-JERSEY, presently the property of the

[1] For a notice of the Budd family, see N. J. Archives, XX., 208.

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grandson and heir at law of one of the original Twenty-four proprietors.

For further particulars enquire of Mr. Brook Watson, merchant, in Watling-street London; Mr. Alexander Orme, clerk to the Signet,[1] and Mess Berry and Baillie, merchants, in Edinburgh, Mr. William Donaldson, merchant, at New Brunswick in East New Jersey; and Mr. Amos Strettell, merchant, in Philadelphia.[2]

RUN-AWAY on sunday the 28th of July, from Lambarton fishery, an Irish servant lad nam'd Mark M'Cloughland, aged about 18 years, low in stature and thick legs, his complexion fair, and has some slight marks of the small-pox, his hair brown and curls, his under jaw projects a little, he speaks quick and has the brogue on his tongue, had on when he went away, shoes, stockings, check shirt, and a jacket and breeches of light coloured thickset lately made, and a hatt, and whether he took other cloaths with him it is unknown. Whoever shall take him up and deliver him at the nearest goal in Pennsylvania or New-Jersey, shall have TWENTY SHILLINGS reward paid by

LAWRENCE SALTER.

—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1131, *August* 9, 1764.

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[1] In the College of Justice, a court erected in the time of King James V., of Scotland, cir. 1537, the clerks or writers to the signet (practitioners of law) were instituted as a part of said College, and were "intrusted with the forms of summonses and diligences," and were "authorised to expede summonses which had not the accustomed brieves of the Chancery, wherein their styles by custom came to be known; and they are every year publicly called, and commanded, to keep the accustomed styles, and are censurable if they do it not, the matter and order being always the same, though they be not tied to particular words, as they are tied in the brieves of the Chancery." By act of 1661 this Court was vested with exclusive jurisdiction "in discussing the validity or invalidity of infeftments of his Majesty's property, or any other infeftments," in consequence of which the clerks or writers to the signet, being practitioners in this Court, came to enjoy peculiar privileges in suits relating to real property.—*Stair's Institutions of the Law of Scotland*, Edinburgh, 1832, II., 544, 548, 573, 581.

[2] The sale was adjourned to May 29, 1765.

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RUN-away from the subscriber living in Cranburry, Middlesex county, on the 20th of May last, a Negro woman named Lucy, alias Sue, about 30 years old, a slender small woman, has lost most of her teeth; her dress very uncertain; she took 2 quilted petticoats one red the other blue, a blue and white chintz gown, and a pair of green cloth shoes, which she may change for others; 'tis supposed she is gone towards Bucks county, to one Lambert Vandyks near Neshaminy meeting-house, where she has a daughter; or to one Waglers near Franckfort, where her old masters daughter lives: or is in Philadelphia at some free Negro's house; she has a mother and brother living with Mr. Kemble in Brunswick; said Negro talks Dutch well. Whoever secures said Negro so as her master may have her again, shall receive THREE POUNDS reward, and all reasonable charges paid by

PATRICK HANLON.

N. B. Any person or persons who harbours or countenances said Negro wench in the least, may depend upon being prosecuted with the utmost severity of the law.

Custom-House, Philadelphia, Entered In. Schooner General Wolfe, T. Smith, from Amboy.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1132, *August* 16, 1764.

DRIFTED or stolen, the 4th Instant, at Night, from the Landing of Joseph Keighan, in West New Jersey, a half worn Wherry, paid or painted with Spanish-brown and Turpentine, with Mulberry Timbers; some Pieces have been put in her Gunwale, which have not been painted. She was anchored with a small Anchor and Chain, fastened to a Clevis, which was riveted thro' her Stern, on the Outside. The said Wherry was lost last Fall, and was found on the 19th of March, in the Possession of George

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Deaton, who, by the Evidence of Thomas Hyott, proved her to be borrowed from Joseph Peterson of St. George's Hundred in New-Castle County. Whoever brings the said Wherry to Joseph Keighan, living on the River Shore, opposite the Battery, or to Arthur Donaldson, Shipwright, in the District of Southwark, shall have Fifteen Shillings Reward; but if the Boat is proved to be stolen, and the Thief brought to Justice, Three Pounds Reward, paid by JOSEPH KEIGHAN, or ARTHUR DONALDSON.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1860, *August* 16, 1764.

To be Sold,

A Complete new Grist-Mill, and Saw-Mill, situated at Coryell's Ferry, (15 miles from Trentown) up the River Delaware, that has the Advantage of a constant Stream of Water. These Mills have 12 Feet Head and Fall of Water; the Grist-Mill can grind 100 Bushels a Day, and has all the Conveniency for manufacturing of Flour. The Mill-House is a new Stone Building, about 30 Feet by 50; a Boat may discharge her Lading directly into the Mill-House. The Situation of this Mill is very convenient for purchasing of Wheat, as large Quantities are brought down the Delaware from Minisink, and must pass by this Mill. There is also plenty of Wheat to be bought in the Neighbourhood, as it is a plentiful Wheat Country. Flour can be transported from the Mill, and delivered at Philadelphia, at One Shilling and Six Pence per Cask, Freight.

The Saw-Mill will cut a Thousand Feet a Day; and Logs may be had in plenty, at a reasonable Rate.

These Mills have belonging to them, a Farm containing 16 Acres of Land, with a tolerable good Well at the Door. Also, a Brew-House, Stable, &c. Any Person in-

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clinable to purchase the above described Mills, &c. may have them at a moderate Price, by applying to Philip Atkinson, near the Premises, Thomas Atkinson, at Amwell, or James Mc. Evers, at New-York, on paying down One-Third of the Purchase Money, and the Remainder may be made in easy Payments, on giving Security, if required.

N. B. In Case any Person should prefer hiring the above Mills, &c. to purchasing of them, may be had at a moderate Rent, with £. 400 in Cash, free of Interest, for the Conveniency of purchasing Wheat.

The George Tavern,

NEAR Elizabeth-Town, with any Quantity of Land, from 20 to 50 Acres near the House, well accommodated and in a fine Standing for Business; to be Lett for a Year, or a Term of Years, and to be entered upon the first Day of October next, or sooner. For further Particulars enquire of Henry Broadwell, on the Premises. —*The New York Mercury, August* 20, 1764.

RUN away, on the 19th of this instant August, at Night, from the Subscribers (the one living in Water-street, and the other in Second-street) two Taylors Apprentices, both born in Freehold Township, Monmouth County, New-Jersey; one named Thomas Fenton, about 18 Years of Age, has darkish strait Hair, of middle Size, but slim: Had on when he went away, a common Hat, light blue Cloth Coat, Thickset Waistcoat, and blue Cloth Breeches, or Trowsers. The other named Joseph Hughes, about 17 Years old, a fair faced Lad, has short curled Hair, and is well set: Had on a Hat, light coloured Bearskin Coat, with red Lining, black Buttons, and black Button Holes, flowered Fustian Waistcoat, and blue Cloth

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Breeches. They have both served some Years to the Business. Whoever takes up and secures said Apprentices, so that their Masters may have them again, shall have Four Pounds Reward for both, or Forty Shillings for either, and reasonable Charges, paid by

FREDERICK HAGENER, and CHRISTOPHER HANSMAN.

N. B. All Masters of Vessels, and others, are forbid to harbour them at their Peril

Just published, and to be sold by DAVID HALL, at the New Printing-Office, in Market-street, Philadelphia (Price Fifteen Shillings)

CONDUCTOR GENERALIS: Or, the OFFICE, DUTY AND AUTHORITY OF JUSTICES OF THE PEACE, High Sheriffs, Under Sheriffs, Coroners, Constables, Goalers, Jury Men and Overseers of the Poor. As also, the Office of Clerks of Assize, and of the Peace, &c. Compiled chiefly from BURN's Justice, and the several other Books on those Subjects, as far as they extend, and can be adapted to these American Colonies.

By JAMES PARKER, Esq;
One of His Majesty's Justice of the Peace for Middlesex County, in New Jersey.

The whole alphabetically digested under the several Titles; with a Table, directing to the ready finding out the proper Matter under those Titles.

To which is added, A Treatise on the Law of Descents in Fee Simple: By WILLIAM BLACKSTONE, Esq; Barrister at Law, Vinerian Professor of the Laws of England; with several choice Maxims in Law; &c

To be sold by publick Vendue, on the 13th of October next, at the London Coffee-House in this City, Four small Tracts of located unimproved Land, situated in Great-

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Egg-harbour, in the County of Gloucester, and the Western Division of New Jersey, viz. One Tract 396 Acres, adjoining to Land of Jesse Smith's, pretty well timbered; also one Tract 112 Acres, lying on the Fork of Middle Run, which is a suitable Place for a Saw-mill, and well timbered; likewise 82 Acres adjoining to Sarah Helby's great Survey; and 65 Acres of salt Marsh, adjoining to Israel Pemberton's Line; all which are recorded in the Office at Burlington. Also 2 Rights for Land in the Western Division of New-Jersey, 600 Acres in one, to be laid below the Falls, and 300 Acres in the other, to be laid above the Falls; all which Lands, and Rights of Lands were late the Property of Joseph Sharpless, jun. deceased, and the Title indisputable. Whoever inclines to purchase the said Lands, or Rights of Lands, may be further informed, before the Day of Sale, by applying to Benjamin Sharpless, living in Middletown Township, Chester County, Pennsylvania, or to Benjamin Sharpless, jun, living next Door to 'Squire Cox's, at the Corner of Third Street in Walnut Street, Philadelphia.

Salem, August 15, 1764

MADE his Escape last Night, out of Salem Goal, a Man, named John Cleaver, about 5 Feet 8 Inches high, Pock marked, has black Hair; had on a blue Jacket, made out of an old Surtout Coat, with Metal Coat Buttons on it, Check Trowsers, old Hat, old Shoes and Stockings; he is a Taylor by Trade, and plays on the Fiddle; he is very talkative, and much addicted to drink. Whoever takes up said Cleaver, and confines him in any of His Majesty's Goals, or brings him to me at Salem, shall receive Three Pounds Reward, and all reasonable Charges, paid by

JOHN BUDD, Sheriff.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1861, *August* 23, 1764.

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THE Rev. Samuel Kennedy,[1] of Baskinridge, or Bernard's Town, in the County of Somerset, and Province of New-Jersey, designs to have the learned Languages, and liberal Arts and Sciences, taught under his Inspection, in a School-House now built on his own Plantation; where Persons may be fitted to enter any Class in College: Any convenient Lodgings may be had near the said School-House.

N. B. There are Scholars now learning the Latin and Greek Languages in said School.

To the PUBLIC.

THE Subscriber finds himself obliged, with infinite Reluctance, to address the Public on Account of a scurrilous Advertisement in Mr. Holt's Paper, signed by one *Andrew Bowne*. The Character and Reputation of a man in Trade, being of the most delicate and tender Nature, any Attempts to stigmatize it, not founded on Facts, or supported by Evidence, will never, I flatter myself, influence the impartial Part of Mankind, before the Truth has been scrutinized in a *legal* Manner. But, some Time must elapse before this can be done: And as the Audaciousness of the *Advertisement* may make Impressions to my Prejudice, I shall endeavour to remove them, by laying all my Transactions with *Bowne*, open to the Public, whereby it may easily be perceived the Means by

[1] Samuel Kennedy was born in Scotland, in 1720, educated at the University of Edinburgh, and then came to America, where he was taken on trial by the New Brunswick Presbytery, December 26, 1749, was licensed May 18, 1750, and was ordained minister of the Presbyterian church at Baskinridge, N. J., June 25, 1751. He established a classical school there, which was of a high order and was extensively patronized. He also practised medicine, achieving some reputation as a physician, and was in consequence called "Doctor" Kennedy. He received the honorary degree of A. M. from Princeton College in 1760. (The listing of his name in the Class of 1754, in recent General Catalogues of Princeton, is doubtless an error.) He joined the N. J. Medical Society in 1768, and was an attentive member. He died at Baskinridge, August 31, 1787, aged sixty-seven.—*Sprague's Annals, Webster's Hist. Pres. Church*, 604; *N. J. Archives*, XIX., 418, 421, 577-8; XX., 489. *Wickes's Medical Men of N. J.*, 305.

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which his Brain was *so* violently heated as to overcome his Reason.

Andrew Bowne, of Shrewsbury, called on me last Summer, telling me, Joseph Holmes, of this City, had recommended me to him as an *honest Silversmith.* He then bespoke a Set of Silver Buttons for a Suit of Cloaths. They were made exactly to his Directions, and when he came to fetch them, he seemed perfectly pleased with them. Three Weeks afterwards he called on me, and desired I would take them back. I represented to him how unsaleable Things made after another's Whim were; and that before I found a Person of his Taste, Years might elapse. He then offered me a Dollar, which I refusing, he grew passionate, and went away in the greatest Anger. On his Return home, he wrote me the annexed Letter (No. 1.) which I despised, and returned no answer to. Last May he wrote me another (No. 2) in both which he has been very lavish of Names that no honest Man can well brook. I returned him an Answer (No. 3) with a View to pass the Affair into Ridicule; but it had a contrary Effect, and the Advertisement in Question was produced by it.

Private Affairs, of a trivial and insignificant Nature, are unworthy the Attention of the Public. But when malicious Defamation is allowed to blast Character in a public News Paper, a Justification in the same public Manner becomes necessary; This Apology, I hope, will plead my Excuse.

BENJAMIN HALSTED

(No. 1)

AS you promised to mend any of the Buttons I had of you, for nothing if they broke; I have accordingly sent one, that broke as I was trying my Cloaths on before they were finished. I perceive some Difficulty and Charge is like to attend, having a Button to send to New-York once a week, more or less, as Occasion shall require, and a Taylor to take off and

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put on the same. You was pleased to say; you was sorry I should think hard of you, when I offered you a Dollar to take them off my Hands, which you refused. Had you said, you was sorry for imposing upon me, and was willing to make me Satisfaction, it would seemingly have faced your Proceedings with more Humanity and Christianity than they now appear in, for the Button's breaking has discovered a farther Villainy in the Work, viz The Eye stuck in, without clinching. Had I lost my ten Pieces of Eight by a Free-Booter, a Pickeroon, or a Pirate, I could better digest than now. Had I my Money, and you the Buttons, I would not give ten Coppers for them, much less than ten Pieces of Eight, neither would I have had the Imposition for twenty Pieces of Eight. Such Villainy is not easily expiated, and as I wear a noble Mind, willing to retaliate every Benefit, so as implacable to an Imposition. The Man that recommended you to me, has taken his Departure from Time, and is gone to make up his Account; and as a gentle Premonition may be proper, please to prepare yourself for the like great Change, &c. My Patience being much worn, it seems as if I was just now directed to a Text for my Relief, viz. *Psal.* xxxvii. 1, 2, *Fret not thy self because of evil Doers, neither be thou envious against the Workers of Iniquity. For they shall soon be cut down like the Grass, and wither as the green Herbs. Prov.* xxix, 1. *He that being often reproved, hardneth his Neck, shall suddenly be destroyed, and that without Remedy;*

These Texts gives me Leave to hope, you will not have the Opportunity to impose upon many more.

I shall leave you to contemplate on this short Letter a while.

Shrewsbury, September 9, 1763, ANDREW BOWNE.

P. S. Had the Buttons been made as an honest Man ought to have made them, for the Money you had for them, they would have lasted more years than they are now like to last Hours.

(No. 2)

THOU Child of Perdition, without any Sting of an Allegory, if you do not immediately make me Satisfaction for the Imposition you have put on me in the Buttons, I will promulgate you for a Villain. Were you a Man of Honour, you would have sent it long before now. I look on your Demerit to be such, that a Gibbet would be too favourable a Punishment for. I think it vain to multiply Words on this Matter, hoping you will make a more prudent Use of this Premonition than you did of my Letter, dated September 9, 1763.

ANDREW BOWNE,

Whom you think you have cheated, but beware in the End it be not yourself.

Shrewsbury, May 21, 1764.

P. S. I find it signifies nothing to send any more Buttons for you to mend for me, so long as I cannot have them returned. But when you send me the ten Pieces of Eight, I will send you all the d—'d Buttons to mend for yourself, if not, beware of, &c.

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(No. 3)

THOU Son of Ignition! Promulgator of Nonsense! Premonitor of the Gallows! Truly passionate, most furiously mad, I hail the Sanity in thy Pericranium! Mayest thou escape the Castigation of the Bedlam Flagellator! I have essayed thy Letter in the Furnace of my Cogitations, but find it contains a Metal of abominable Alloy; it was so impregnated with Asperity, and of so corrosive a Nature, that when it came so irresistably pungent, that the Total of the human Oeconomy was incapable, either by Transpiration, Perspiration, or Inspiration, to found and fathom the Profundity of thy verbose, inflamatory, and most deplorable Diction, Farewell. Wipe thy dirty Mouth, and endeavour to mend the Scurility of thy uncouth Manners, by Lotion Mundification, and Ceration; thereby to obtain a delectable Transmutation, from Depravation and Ribfication to Beatitude and Pacification. And so, wishing thee a good Stool, I come to a Termination, subscribing myself,

None of thy humble Servant,

BENJAMIN HALSTED.

—*The New York Mercury, August 27, 1764.*

To be Sold by the Subscriber,

A Very good farm and dwelling-house, with the mills, bolting house, bake house, and store house, at Second River, adjoining Mr. Courtlandt's mills: The farm consists of about 160 acres of land, whereof about 100 acres are clear'd, the remainder is good wood land: On it is a good stone dwelling-house 45 feet long, and 24 feet wide, having three rooms on a floor, a good cellar and cellar Kitchen under it, and a good barn, garden, and well near it. Opposite the house stands the mill on Second river, a most plentiful stream in the driest season: It is two stories high, 63 feet long, and 21 broad, and has three pair of stones in fine order: The bolting house adjoins it, which is two stories high, 42 feet long, and 21 feet broad; has five good bolts, is furnished with every thing necessary and convenient for the bolting business, and every operation is carried on by water; near it is an excellent stone bake-house two stories high, 32 feet long, and 26 feet broad, which has two very fine ovens in it.

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The stone house stands on the bank of Pasaick river, about a quarter of a mile from the mills, it is two stories and a half high, 56 feet long, and 28 wide, at its door a large boat may load and unload. . . . . No mill in that province is better situated, nor has greater conveniences for the bolting and baking business than the above: and as its distance from the city of New York is only about nine miles by land, or thirty miles by water, it can never want employment.

JOHN SCHUYLER.

—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1134, *August* 30, 1764.

FIVE POUNDS Reward

RUN away from his Bail, a certain Daniel M'Afee, a Weaver by Trade, but has followed Privateering for several Years; he is about 5 Feet 9 Inches high, of a brown Complexion, and black Hair, he wears a Thickset Olive coloured Coat, a red Jacket and Breeches, but has blue Coat and Jacket also; he has followed Weaving for some Time past, at one Christian Sharp's House, near Mr. Johnson's Iron-works, in Hunterdon County, West-Jersey: He stole a Woman's Saddle, with green Plush Seat, and Leather Skirts, which he swapt away for a Man's Saddle; he is much addicted to drinking and swearing, and is of a fractious, quarrelsome Disposition. Whoever apprehends the said Thief, and secures him, so that he may be brought to Justice, shall receive the above Reward, and all reasonable Charges, paid by the Subscriber, living on Derham Road, in Bedminster Township, Bucks County, near Teheken Creek.

Edward Murphey.

CAME to the Plantation of the Subscriber, living in the Township of Trenton, and County of Hunterdon, on

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Tuesday, the 21st of August, a bay Horse, about 14 Hands three Inches high, without Brand or Ear-mark; said to be the Property of Mr. John Bayard, in Philadelphia. The Owner of said Horse is desired to come, prove his Property, pay Charges, and take him away.

DAVID HOWELL, junior.

MADE his Escape, some Time about the Beginning of this inst. August, from the Sheriff of Burlington County, a certain Robert Holland, about 5 Feet 3 or 4 Inches high, dark Complexion, dark brown Hair, has a remarkable Lump or Wart on his Right-thumb, and has lost most of his fore Teeth, a Breeches Maker by Trade. Whoever takes up the said Robert Holland, and brings him to the Goal of the said County of Burlington, shall have three Pounds Reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by

DANIEL ELLIS, Sheriff.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1862, *August* 30, 1764.

Philadelphia, August 30. On the 18th Instant two Men were taken up at Elizabeth Town, and committed to Goal there, for passing a Number of Counterfeit Twenty Shilling Bills of this Province. One of them goes by the Name of Harman Rosecrans, the other by that of John Hannah; they had paid for three Horses in these Counterfeit Bills; are dated May 1 1760.—*The New York Mercury, September* 3, 1764.

Perth Amboy, August 30, 1764.

MADE his escape from James Brooks, Esq; Sheriff of the city of Perth Amboy; on monday last, John Hughes, by occupation a ditcher and labourer, (and sometimes pretends to be a fortune teller) A short thick square shouldered fellow, about 5 feet 5 inches high, has sore eyes and

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lost one or two of his fore teeth; had on when he went away, a cap, an old hat, an old brown coat and an old lead coloured pea jacket pieced on the sides with black (to make it big enough for him) a pair of check trowsers and another pair of old canvas tent. It is supposed he went away with one James Moore a servant of Philip Kerney, Esq; who run away on sunday morning last, he is a tall spare young fellow about 24 years old, long black hair tied behind; had on when he went away, a new hat, a new brown sagathy coat and vest, black knit breeches and large striped trowsers, who is also advertised, it is thought they are gone to Brandywine, Chester County, Pennsylvania, or towards Gunpowder, Baltimore County, Maryland. Any person or persons that will secure the said Hughes in any of his Majesty's goals or bring him to the subscriber at Perth Amboy, shall have THREE POUNDS reward and all reasonable charges paid by

JAMES BROOKS, Sheriff.

TO BE SOLD,

At the house of Mr. Joseph Hugg in Gloucester, on wednesday the 26th instant.

A Certain messuage, plantation, and tract of land situated in township of Deptford; in the county of Gloucester, containing 200 acres with allowance for highways. And also another tract of land situated in the said township of Deptford, surveyed for 15 acres and 3 rods: late the estate of Richard Arell, and now in the possession of Thomas and Bartholomew Stiles; distant from Gloucester about nine miles, and from Woodbury about six; in which plantation there are about 40 acres of upland cleared, and about 20 acres of meadow watered by a fine stream running through the middle, called Vapue-Aloes, being a branch of Mantoes creek: the whole capable of

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great improvement. For further particulars enquire on the premises, of Mr. Joseph Hugg, in Gloucester, or of

JAMES and DRINKER, or
JOHN HART, in Philadelphia.

WAS committed, to the goal of Cumberland County, New Jersey, on suspicion of their being runaway servants, a man named John Back, aged about 25 years, as he says, and a woman named Mary Yates, the man says he hath served a time to Joseph Bantlent in Talbot county Maryland; and the woman came here in company with him. Any persons that have any demands on them, are desired to make the same known to me, by the first day of October next, or they will be discharged on paying costs

HOWELL POWELL, Sheriff.

—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1135, *September* 6, 1764.

A PROCLAMATION

GEORGE the Third, by the Grace of God of Great Britain, France and Ireland, King, Defender of the Faith, &c.

WHEREAS frequent Complaints have been heretofore made, that exorbitant Fees have been demanded and taken in the public Offices in several of our Colonies and Plantations in America, for Business transacted in such Offices. And whereas it hath been represented to Us, that there is great Reason to apprehend that such unwarrantable Demands and Exactions are still continued in some of Our Colonies, particularly on the Survey and passing Letters Patent for Lands. And whereas such shameful and illegal Practices do not only dishonour Our Service, but do also operate to the Prejudice of the public Interests, by obstructing the speedy Settlement of our Colonies: We do hereby express Our just Indignation at

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such unwarrantable and dishonourable Practices; strictly enjoining and requiring all public Officers whatsoever, in their respective Stations, not to demand or receive any other Fees for public Business, transacted in their Offices, than what have been established by proper Authority, upon Pain of being removed from their said Offices, and prosecuted with the utmost Severity of the Law.

In Testimony whereof, We have caused the Great Seal of Our Province of New Jersey to this Our Royal Proclamation to be affixed, and the same to be made Patent. Witness Our trusty and well beloved WILLIAM FRANKLIN, Esq; Captain General and Governor in Chief in and over Our Province of New Jersey, and Territories thereon depending in America, Chancellor and Vice Admiral in the same &c, at our City of Burlington, the Twenty-third Day of August, One Thousand Seven Hundred and Sixty-four, in the Fourth Year of Our Reign.

READ

BY HIS EXCELLENCY

WILLIAM FRANKLIN, Esq;

Captain General and Governor in Chief, in and over the Province of NEW JERSEY, and Territories thereon depending in America, Chancellor and Vice-Admiral in the same, &c.

A PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS His Majesty, out of His paternal Regard for His Subjects in America, has been pleased to order and command, that exact Tables of the Fees, due and payable for Services done and performed at the public Offices, should be affixed up in such Offices: In Obedience to His Majesty's Royal Command, I do hereby order and direct all and every Officer or Officers, within this Province, to affix up, in their respective Offices a fair Table of the Fees, due and payable for Services done and performed therein,

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as the same are established by Law, and at all Times hereafter to keep the same exposed to public View.

Given under my Hand and Seal at Arms, at the City of BURLINGTON, this Twenty-third Day of August, in the Fourth Year of His Majesty's Reign.

WILLIAM FRANKLIN.

By his Excellency's Command.
CHARLES READ, Secretary.

Paxton, August 27, 1764.

WAS taken up, above the Narrows, and brought to me the 19th Instant, a Chestnut Mare, with white Mane and Tail, 3 Years old, about 14 or 15 Hands high, with a bright Star, branded on the near Shoulder with an M turned upside down, and an O within it, supposed to be stolen. The Owner is desired immediately to prove his Property, pay Charges, and take her away.

THOMAS FORSTER.

WHEREAS it is supposed that several original Deeds, Surveys, and other Papers (late the Estate of Joseph Pidgeon) were left in the Hands of some of his Friends in Philadelphia, as those Papers are of very great Consequence, and can not be found; therefore any Person or Persons having any Deeds, or other Papers, in their Possession, belonging to that Estate, are desired to signify the same to Ann Pidgeon, his Widow, at Trenton; or make the same known to William Coxe, Esq; of Philadelphia; and the Favour will be gratefully acknowledged by their very humble Servant,

Ann Pidgeon.

To be sold by the Subscriber, 110 Acres of Land, or thereabouts, situate and lying in Pilesgrove, Salem County, West New-Jersey; the Land is good, and there

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is a Quantity of exceeding good Meadow; it is well watered and timbered; about 30 Acres of Plough Land, a good Dwelling-house, with a Well of exceeding good Water. It lies within Half a Mile of a good Grist-mill, commodiously situate in the Heart of the Country. Any Person inclining to purchase the same, and paying Part of the Money down, may have a considerable Number of Years to pay the rest, giving Security, if required. Whoever inclines to purchase, may know the Terms of John Holton in Philadelphia. The Title is indisputable.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1863, *September* 6, 1764.

LOST, last Week, between Woodbridge and Elizabeth-Town, in New-Jersey, a Lady's Gold Watch, in a Shagreen Case. Whoever will return the same to the Printer hereof, shall receive Five Dollars Reward.

To be Sold,

A Farm, containing between two and three Hundred Acres of Land, lying on South-River, at the New-Bridge; on which there is a good Frame House, Out-House and Barn; between 30 and 50 Acres of Fresh Meadow cleared, and more may be made: It lies on the high Road from Burlington to Sproull's Ferry, and is very convenient for a Tavern, having a good bearing Orchard on it, now in the Tenor of John Lurting. Enquire of Christopher Billopp, on Staten-Island, who will agree for the same, and give an indisputable Title. Bonds, with good Security, will be taken in Payment.

RUN-away on Monday the 27th of last Month, August, from Gilbert Smith, of Upper Freehold, in Monmouth County, East New-Jersey, a Slave, named Jacob, but has several Times changed his Name, calling himself James Start, and James Pratt, &c. his Mother was

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a Negro, and his Father an Indian, but he passes himself for an Indian, and is like one, of a yellowish tawney Colour; is about 23 Years of Age, 5 Feet 4 or 5 Inches high; his Hair cut short on his Crown, but curls round his Neck; has a remarkable Scar on one of his Cheek Bones, occasioned by a Scald or Burn, and speaks good English: He is much addicted to Smoaking and Drinking. He went from his Work at the Plough, was without Shoe or Stocking, and had on no other Clothes but an Oznabrig Shirt and Trowsers, an old ragged brown Waistcoat, and an old Hat. He came to New-York on Wednesday Morning last, with one Aaron Buck, in a Sloop from Barnegat, or Tom's River, and has since been seen in Town. Any Person that will bring the said Run-away to Mr. John Talman, in New-York, Butcher, or to Mr. Francis Field, on Golden-Hill, or commit him to any public Goal, giving Notice to one of the said Persons, will receive from either of them, Forty Shillings Reward, and all reasonable Charges.

GILBERT SMITH

N. B. All Masters of Vessels are forbid to harbour, conceal, or carry him off, as they will answer it at their Peril.—*The New York Mercury, September* 10, 1764.

THE SUBSCRIBER, hath lately opened a School in TRENTON, and teaches the English Grammar, Reading, grammatically, Writing, Arithmetick, Vulgar and Decimal &c, agreeable to the newest Rules, and truest Method, practised by the best Teachers, and approved of by all good Judges; and being indefatigably diligent, he expects Encouragement from all who love the Improvement of YOUTH *in* VIRTUE AND LEARNING.

JOHN REID.

N. B. He would teach the practical Branches of the Mathematicks, if required. His School opens at 6 o'Clock,

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A. M. with Morning and Evening Prayers. He has Accommodation for Half a Dozen BOARDERS.

TO BE SOLD,

A Small Plantation, containing about 140 Acres, situate in the County of Burlington, adjoining to Crosswick's Creek; within 4 Miles of Crosswick's Meeting-house and Allen's Town, and 6 from Bordentown; it is very convenient to several Grist-Mills, 40 Acres of which is very good Meadow, the rest mostly good Wheat Land, and well timbered, a fine young Orchard, a House and Barn on the Premises, and in good Fence. For Terms of Sale, enquire of FRANCIS KING, of Amwell, Hunterdon County, or JOHN IMLAY, of Borden Town.

WAS Stolen out of the Pasture of Ephraim Phillips, in the City of Burlington, West New-Jersey, on the 4th of this instant September, at Night, a likely bay Mare, a natural Pacer, about 13 Hands high, and 7 or 8 Years old, has some white about her hind Footlocks, galled with the Saddle near her Shoulder, a square bob Tail, shod before, and is a very lively Creature. The Person supposed to have taken her is a short thick Man, a Barber by Trade, has lost some Part of his Nose, and has something of a Hair Lip. Whoever takes up said Mare, and secures her, so that the Owner may have her again, shall receive Five Dollars Reward; and if stolen, and the Thief brought to Justice, Five Dollars more, paid by me

Ephraim Phillips.

Burlington, September 6, 1764.

WAS committed to the Goal of this County, on the Fourth Instant, a certain Negroe Man, about 5 Feet 9 or 10 Inches high, of a yellow Complexion, speaks good English, and says he was born in New England, and has

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been used a little to the Sea; he had several Sorts of Passes with him, which it is thought he wrote himself. His Master is desired to come and pay Charges, and take him away, otherwise he will be sold for the same, by

EPHRAIM PHILLIPS, Goaler.

Hunterdon County, West New-Jersey, September 3, 1764.

STOLEN, the 28th Day of last Month, from the Subscriber, living in Reading Town, a bright bay Horse, about 14 Hands and a Half high, and 8 Years old, branded S on the near Shoulder, and on the Thigh S h M, the hind Feet white, the off Foot not so high as the near; shod all round; paces and trots. Likewise a black Mare, about 14 Hands high, long bodied, high hipped, switch Tail, no Brand nor Ear-mark, a shuffling Pacer and shod before.

The supposed Thieves are two young Dutchmen; the eldest about Twenty-four Years of Age, five Feet ten Inches high, and has a Down-look: Had on a brown Winsted Coat, black Velvet Jacket, Check Shirt and Linen Trowsers. The youngest about Twenty Years of Age; had on a Thickset Jacket, with out Sleeves, Check Shirt with Tuckers to the Breast, and a new Pair of Check Trowsers, and is about five Feet eight Inches high, It is supposed they will change Clothes. Whoever takes up said Thieves, and confines them in any of His Majesty's Goals, so as they may be brought to Justice, shall have Three Pounds Reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by

WILLIAM KOUSHELL.

N. B. The above described Thieves have been in the Army and it is thought have deserted from several Regiments.

RUN away from the Subscriber, in Upper Freehold, Monmouth County, on the 26th of August, a yellow Ne-

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groe Man, named Jacob, about 5 Feet 4 or 5 Inches high, bushy Head of Hair; had on, when he went away, an Ozenbrigs Shirt, Tow Trowsers, but it is likely he will change his Name and Cloaths, and pass for a free Man, as he has attempted it before; he has a remarkable Scar on his left Jaw, occasioned by a burn. Whoever takes up said Servant, and secures him in any of his Majesty's Goals, so that his Master may have him again, shall have Thirty Shillings Reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by

GILBERT SMITH

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1864, *September* 13, 1764.

Burlington, September 13, 1764

Stolen or strayed from a Pasture near Burlington, on Monday Night or Tuesday Morning last, a small sorrel Mare, about 12 Hands high, has a Blaze down her Face, several Saddle Spots on her Back, and a small Scar on her near Hip, trots, paces and gallops well. Whoever brings the said Mare to John Carty, Taylor in Burlington, shall have Twenty Shillings Reward, and all reasonable Charges paid; if stolen, Five Pounds will be given to any one who will discover the Thief, so as he may be brought to Justice.

Gloucester, September 11, 1764.

Committed to the Common Goal of this County, Yesterday, on Suspicion of being a Runaway, a Man named John Campbell, alias Cannaday; he is about 5 Feet 8 or 9 Inches high, brown Hair, tied behind, Ozenbrigs Shirt, black Breeches; says he came from Sterling Iron-works, in East Jersey. His Master, if any he has, is desired to come, pay Charges, and take him away, otherwise he will be sold for the Charges in 3 or 4 Weeks from this Date.

JOSEPH COWGILL, Goaler.

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RUN away, on Sunday Night, the Ninth of this instant September, a Dutch Servant Boy, about 18 Years of Age, named Elias Younken; had on, when he went away, an old turned Jacket, of a brown Colour, wears his own Hair, of a light Colour, has a down Look, and, I believe, has neither Shoes nor Stockings with him. Whoever takes up the said Servant, and brings him to the Subscriber, shall have Forty Shillings Reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by HANCE LAMBSON, living in Penn's Neck, near Salem, in New Jersey.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1865, *September* 20, 1764.

FIVE PISTOLES *Reward.*

RUN AWAY the 10th of this instant, at night, from Edward Tonkins of Springfield township, in the county of Burlington and province of New-Jersey: A servant man named Matthew Case, about five or six and twenty years of age, a thick well set man, has dark brown hair cut short upon the crown of his head: When he went away he had on a pair of turned pumps stitched round the upper parts of the quarters, he carried away several sorts of cloathes with him, so that it is uncertain what dress he may wear: it is thought he may go towards East-town, as he inquired about that place the day he went off. Whoever takes up said servant, so that the owner may have him again, shall have the above reward, paid by me

EDWARD TONKINS.

Just imported in the Brigantine Africa, Francis Moore, master, from the coast of Guinea, and to be sold by

THOMAS RICHE,

In New Jersey, opposite Philadelphia,

A few likely Negro men, women, boys and girls, very reasonable for cash or short credit.

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N. B. The said Riche will attend the Sale from 10 to 1 o'clock, and from 2 till 5 in the afternoon.

STOLEN on the 5th instant from Benjamin Marsh of Elizabeth town: A likely brownish bay mare, about fourteen hands high, neither brand nor mark, her hind hoffs white, a black list down her rump, and some white spots on her back, occasioned by saddle gauls: She is stolen by a man named Samuel Morrow, born in Ireland, is a weaver by trade, about 6 feet high, about 30 years of age, has had the small-pox, and speaks much on the broague, 'tis said he is gone to Virginia. Whoever secures the mare so that the owner may have her again, shall have FIVE POUNDS reward, and reasonable charges, and for apprehending the thief, so that he may be brought to justice, TEN POUNDS reward, paid by me

BENJAMIN MARSH.

Perth Amboy, August 28.

RUN-AWAY *last Sunday morning from the subscriber, a servant named James Moore, of about four or five and twenty years of age, of a dark or swarthy complexion, with long black hair tied behind; had on when he went away, a new hat, a new coat and vest of brown sagathy, a pair of new black knit breeches, a pair of long striped linnen trowsers, and a speckled shirt, but has white shirts with him, a pair of leather breeches and some old cloaths. Whoever takes up the said man, and secures him in any goal, or brings him home, shall have* THREE POUNDS *proclamation money, and all reasonable charges paid by*

P. KEARNY.

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Just imported in the Philadelphia Packet, Capt. Richard Budden, and to be sold wholesale and retail, for ready money only, by

ANN HUME,

of BURLINGTON, in WEST-JERSEY.

Boys white thread hose,
Womens ditto,
Mens ditto,
Mens brown ditto,
Boys white cotton hose,
Womens ditto,
Mens white cotton hose,
Womens blue worsted with clocks,
Mens grey worsted hose,
Mens black worsted ditto,
Womens worsted mitts,
Womens silk mitts,
Black silk breeches,
Cloth colour'd ditto,
Mens superfine silk hose,
Worsted breeches pieces,
Thread ditto,
Boys felt hats lined,
Mens ditto,
Mens castor ditto,
Mens beaver ditto,
10 nail check linen,
11 nail ditto,
3 4 and 7-8 ditto,
Yard wide ditto,
Yard and 3-8 linen,
White and dyed jeans,
Yd. wide flower'd demity,
Striped cotton holland,
Irish sheeting, and brown Holland,
Russia drabs,
White Russia sheeting,
Printed callicoes, 3 colours,
Printed ditto, 2 colours,
Printed ditto, single purple ground,
A variety of printed callicoes,
Printed linen, blue and white handkerchiefs,
Pint tumblers engraved,
Neat plain double flint cruets,
Strong salts,
Hallowed ditto,
Double flint mustard potts,
Ditto cream potts,
Common glass decanters,
Pint ditto,
Half pint ditto,
Single flint cruets,
Ditto mustard potts,
Ditto Salts,
Ditto wine glasses,
Ditto jelly glasses,
Ditto pint tumblers,
Ditto half pint,
Ditto gills and half gills,
Ditto milk potts,
Beer glasses and muggs,
Double flint wine glasses,
Quart decanters ditto,
Ditto pint tumblers,
Ditto large beer glasses,
Several sizes glass jars,
A case of prints, and machines for viewing the Prints,
Powder and shott,
Several sorts of rappee snuff,
Variety of china dishes and plates,
China coffee potts,
Ditto mugs,
Ditto handled chocolate cups,
Ditto jarrs,
Ditto fruit dishes,
Ditto salled,
Variety of bowls and basons,
China coffee cans,
Ditto patty pans,

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Ditto paste work,
Pomeranias,
Yard wide Irish linens,
Ell wide Muslins,
Nankeens,
3-4 dowlas, long lawns,
3-4 and 7-8 garlix,
Brown ozenbrigs,
Brown rolls,
Demy Cambrick,
Clear lawns,
Bandanoes, spotted,
Ditto, bordered,
Silk lungee romals,
Cotton romals, brown corner,
Ditto blue,
Persian taffaties, striped,
Coloured ditto,
Common press'd dolls,
Carts, chairs, and horses for children,
Sorted toys,
Fiddles for children,
4 joint hazel rods for fishing,
3 joint ditto,
4 jointed dogwood rods for fishing,
3 joint ditto,
4 joint bambue ditto,
3 joint ditto,
Best kirby hooks, untied,
Best round ditto,
Common hooks, ditto,
4 joint solid rods,
3 joint ditto,
6 stave reels of fishing lines,
8 stave ditto,
10 stave ditto,
Flys on gut,
Common hair lines,
Best ditto,
Best with kirby hooks,
Best silk fishing lines,
Common tied hooks,
Best kirby hooks tied,
2d, 3d, 4d, 6d, 8d, 10d, 12d, and 20d nails,
Ditto tea potts,
Ditto milk mugs,
Ditto sugar dishes,
Ditto handled tea cups and saucers,
Ditto coffee cups and saucers,
And a variety of tea cups and saucers,
Blue nankeen, compleat setts of tea things,
Ditto enamell'd,
Playing cards of both sorts,
The best white Bristol knee and shoe buckles,
French plate, salts with glasses,
Wine glasses engraved,
Setts of Castors and frames with silver tops,
French plate cream juggs,
Ditto table spoons,
Ditto soop spoons,
Ditto tea spoons,
Ditto tea tongs,
Candlesticks, coffee potts and waiters,
Fine japan'd tea board, and ditto waiters,
Straw tooth pick cases,
Fine japan'd tooth-pick cases,
Carved ditto, paper ditto,
Fine ivory ditto,
Smelling bottles in japan'd cases,
Ditto in pierced ivory,
Ditto in paper,
Silk needle books,
Fine velvet ditto, with pin cushion and scissors,
Ladies straw toiletts with glasses,
Morocco pocket books mounted with silver,
Setts of fine past necklace and ear-rings,
Shagreen case, with a sett of best ivory handled table knives and forks,
Ditto with fine strong silver handles,

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A neat cut pyramid, ornamented with green drops, white drops,
A round scollop'd looking glass,
Stand for ditto 21 over with eight double bent jellies,
4 vase syllabubs in waves,
4 short sugar plumbs,
4 green saucers,
Best quart decanters labell'd Madeira,
Pints ditto,
Bone nutmeg graters,
Back gammon tables,
Fine painted paper, machee snuff boxes, ditto engraved,
Bottle cases and bottles,
A case of mathematical instruments.
Cases of well assorted china, with sundry other articles.

—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1137, *September* 20, 1764.

London, July 13. His Majesty hath been pleased to appoint Frederick Smith, Esq; Chief Justice of the Province of New-Jersey, in America.—*The New York Mercury, September* 24, 1764.

LIST of LETTERS remaining in the POST-OFFICE, PHILADELPHIA,

William Brown, Gloucester County.
Samuel Gilmore, near Bordentown,
Allen Gillespie, (2) New-Ark,
John Hatton, Salem,
James Wilson, Deep Run,
Sarah Hopkins, Haddenfield,
Patrick Hammel, Amwell County,
John King, Pennington,
James Lowermore, Kingston,
Peter Light, Windsor Forge,
Alexander Miller, Bedminster Township,
Bernard Murray, Milford Hundred,
Henry Moore, New Providence,
Timothy O'Connor, (2) Morris County,
Jacob Prickett, East Jersey,
Elijah Pound, East Jersey,
Francis Prassett, Burlington, County,
James Richey, Ringwood,
Capt. John Stout, Kings Town,
John Smart, Glouster,
Robert Thompson, New-Jersey,
Isaac Vancab, West New-Jersey,
Abel Fisher, New Jersey,
Joseph Woodrow, Evesham,
John Agnew, Isaac Beliw, Dr. William Plunkett, David Simerall, Cumberland County.

Sunday last the Revd. Mr. WHITEFIELD Preached at the new Presbyterian Church, in Arch-street, to a prodigious crowded Auditory. The next Day he set out for

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Prince-Town, to be at the Commencement of the New-Jersey College. He is expected in town this Evening, and Preaches on Sunday next at Nine o'Clock in the Morning, at the new Presbyterian Church.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1138, *September* 27, 1764.

RUN away from his Bail, at the Andover Iron-works, in Sussex County, on Sunday, the 2d of this Inst. September, Richard Normand, born in Pennsylvania, by Trade a Blacksmith, but pretends to be something of a Founder, about 27 Years of Age, 5 Feet 8 Inches high, has brown curled Hair, thin Visage, pretty much freckled, has a remarkable Stoppage in his Speech, and may be particularly observed when in Liquor; had on, and took with him, when he went away, a blue Cloth Coat, a green flowered Velvet Jacket, a Snuff coloured Coat, a blue Cloth Waistcoat and Breeches, blue worsted Stockings, new Shoes, with carved Silver Shoe Buckles. Whoever takes him up, and delivers him to the Sheriff of said County, or to the Subscriber, at the Andover Iron-works, shall receive the Sum of Ten Pounds, and all reasonable Charges, from ROBERT TAYLOR.

Run away, the 22d of August last, from the Subscriber, living in Greenwich Township, Cumberland County, West Jersey, an Apprentice Lad, named John Jones, 18 Years of Age, a Tanner by Trade; he is tall, of a fair Complexion, has curled Hair, marked with the Small-Pox; had on, when he went away, a Thickset Coat, Jean Vest and Breeches, and half-worn Hat. Whoever takes up and secures the said Apprentice, so that his Master may have him again, shall have Forty Shillings Reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by

SAMUEL DENNIS.

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Alloway's Creek, Salem County, Sept. 11, 1764.

THREE POUNDS Reward.

RUN away from his Bail, on the 31st ult. a certain Daniel Bench, this Country born, about 22 Years of Age, about 5 Feet 7 or 8 Inches high, round shouldered, but otherwise well set, full faced, has light brown Hair, dark brown Eyes, dark Complexion, of a down Look, and sometimes calls himself Daniel Moore; had on, and took with him, an old Felt Hat, Snuff coloured Broadcloth Coat, with a falling Collar, carved yellow Metal Buttons, Cotton Velvet Jacket, a white Fustian Ditto, Nankeen Breeches, a Pair of black Yarn Stockings, one Pair of clouded Worsted Ditto, old Shoes, a Check Shirt, one white homespun Ditto; has a Woman with him which he calls his Wife; she is of a dark Complexion, black Hair; had on a Calicoe Gown, red quilted Petticoat, blue Stockings, a Pair of White Yarn Ditto, a Pair of old striped Lincey Shoes, blue and white stripes. Whoever takes up and secures the said Bench, in any of his Majesty's Goals, so that he may be brought to Justice, shall have the above Reward, and all reasonable Charges, paid by

ISAAC OAKFORD.

N. B. If the said Bench is taken up in Pennsylvania or Maryland, and Notice thereof given to Aaron Oakford, in Front-street, Philadelphia, the above Reward and Charges will be paid by him.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1866, *September* 27, 1764.

SOVEREIGN SYBRANDT,

TAKES this method of informing the Public, that he has, for better accommodating Passengers, fitted up, and compleated in the neatest Manner, a new and genteel stage Waggon, which is to perform two Stages in

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every Week, from Philadelphia to New-York, vizt. Sets out from Philadelphia on Mondays, and runs from thence to Trenton, from Trenton to Brunswick, from Brunswick to said Sybrandt's House, and from said Sybrandt's House, by the new and lately established Post Road, (on Bergen, which is now generally resorted to by the Populace, who prefer a Passage by said Place, before the Danger of crossing the Bay) to Powles's Hook,[1] opposite to New-York, where it discharges the Passengers. From which last Place it returns on Wednesdays, and is in Philadelphia the Friday following; each single Person only paying at the Rate of Two Pence Half-Penny per Mile, from said Powles's Hook, to said Sybrandt's House (as it's the longest Stage, and is obliged to return back the same Day it arrives at said Powles's Hook) and at the Rate of Two Pence for every Mile after.

N. B. As said Sybrandt now dwells in the House known by the Sign of the Roebuck, within two Miles and an Half of Elizabeth-Town, and conveniently situated on the Road for the Reception of Travellers; which House he has now finished in a genteel Manner, with good Beds and Bedding, and has laid in a choice Assortment of Wines and other Liquors; where Gentlemen Passengers, Travellers and others, may at all Times be assured of meeting with the best of Entertainment, and good Attendance for themselves and Horses, as said Sybrandt shall always make it his Endeavour, by his Assiduity, Care and Dispatch, in the Business, to merit the Favour and Esteem of the Public in general.—*The New York Mercury, October* 1, 1764.

RUN away from the Subscribers living in Amwell, in the County of Hunterdon, West Jersey, five Negroes, two

[1] At what time the road from Bergen to Bergen Point was laid it is now difficult to tell."—*Winfield's Hist. Hudson County*, 359.

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of them are Men, about 30 Years of Age, well set, supposed to have taken a Gun with them; the other three are Women, about 25 Years of Age, one of them has a Child, about four Months old. The above Negroes have been in the Country about two Years, speak bad English, and went all off in Company together. . . . . Whoever takes up and secures said Servants, in any of His Majesty's Goals, so as their Masters may have them again, shall receive Twenty-four Dollars Reward, and so in Proportion, for either of them taken separate, with all reasonable Charges, paid by WILLIAM NORCROSS, GERSHAM LEE, DANIEL READING, THOMAS READING, ISAAC FITZRANDOLPH.

ALL persons indebted to the estate of John Ferguson, late of the city of Burlington, boatman, deceased, are desired to pay the same to the subscriber; and those that have any demands against the said estate, are desired to send in their accounts, in order to have them adjusted by

MARTHA FERGUSON, administratrix.

To be SOLD by the subscribers, a wood boat, with all her sails, cable and anchor, two years old this fall, will carry 14 cord of wood, and with a small expence, will make a shallop, being almost decked. Any person inclining to purchase, may be further informed, by enquiring at Coxe and Furman's store, in Water-street, Philadelphia, or by the subscribers, near Trenton, New-Jersey.

ISAAC PEARSON, ROBERT PEARSON.

N. B. The purchaser may have a reasonable time for payment, giving security.

TEN POUNDS Reward.

MADE his escape from the sheriff of Middlesex, a certain Peter Ten Eick, a lusty likely man, about 5 feet 10

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inches high, fresh coloured, has dark hair, dwelt lately near Spotswood, in South Amboy, and owned a grist-mill and forge; was born in Somerset county, and some time ago owned a grist-mill upon Rariton river; he is supposed to be now skulking somewhere in Somerset county. Whoever apprehends him, and brings him to the goal in Perth Amboy, or secures him in any other of his Majesty's goals, shall receive the above reward, and all reasonable charges, paid by me

JAMES BROOKS, Sheriff.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1867, *October* 4, 1764.

Princetown, September 26. This Day the Trustees of the College of New-Jersey, attended the anniversary Commencement in the Church.[1] In the Morning, the Rev. Mr. Whitefield preached a Sermon on *Phil.* iii. 8 in the Close of which he gave a very striking and animated Exhortation to the young Gentlemen who were Candidates for the Honours of the College. The Exercises usual on such Occasions, were performed to the Satisfaction of all who understood them. The following *Theses* were disputed, viz.

Mentiri, ut vel Natio conservetur, haud fas est.

Lux rationis Sola, incitamenta ad virtutem satis efficacia, non praebet.

Somnia non sunt universaliter inania, et nil portendentia.

*Nullam veram virtutem habet, qui omnes non habet.**

The following young Gentlemen were admitted to the

[1] This was the first commencement held in the newly-erected Presbyterian church. The building was begun in 1762, as in September of that year the walls were up, or partly up. The subscription for the new church was dated January 20, 1762; the College agreed to lend £700 for the purpose. Mr. Hageman says the building became fit for use in 1766, some months before the death of President Finley. The fact that the building was used for the College commencement in 1764 indicates that it had made better progress than Mr. Hageman supposed.

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Degree of *Batchelors of Arts, viz.*[1] Thomas Alkin, Thomas John Clagett, William Forster, Nathaniel Hayard, John Laurence, Samuel Leake, John M'Crery, Alex-

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[1]The following sketches (except those of Dr. Lawrence and James Tuttle) are condensed from S. D. Alexander's biographies of Princeton Graduates in the 18th Century:

Thomas John Clagget was born October 2, 1743, in Prince George County, Md. After graduating from Princeton College he studied theology, and went to England for ordination, which he received at the hands of the Rt. Rev. Richard Ferrick, Bishop of London. Returning to America, he became Rector of All Saints' Parish, in Calvert County, Md. In 1780 he became Rector of St. Paul's, Prince County, Md. He received the degree of D. D. from Princeton College in 1787. On May 31, 1792, he was elected Bishop of Maryland, and was the first U. S. Senate in 1800. He died August 2, 1816.

William Foster was a native of Lancaster, Penn. He was ordained and installed pastor of the Presbyterian churches of Upper Octorara and Doe Run, Pa., Oct. 19, 1768. He was an ardent friend of the American cause in the Revolution until his death, Sept. 30, 1780.

Nathaniel Hazard (not Hayard, as in the text) is believed to have been a son of Nathaniel Hazard of New York, and a cousin of Ebenezer Hazard, of the Class of 1762. He received the degree of A. M. in 1770, and also from Yale. He died in 1798.

John Lawrence was born in 1747, son of John Lawrence (born 1709, died 1794), and Mary, daughter of William Hartshorne. John Lawrence, sen., was a surveyor, of Monmouth county, who ran the "Lawrence Line" between East and West Jersey. Having graduated at Princeton in 1764 young Lawrence studied medicine and graduated from the Medical College of Philadelphia in 1768, being one of the first ten who received literary honors from that institution. His was the first medical degree conferred in America. He began his practice in Monmouth county. Early in the Revolution he was suspected of disloyalty to the American cause, and by order of Gen. Washington he was arrested at Perth Amboy, with a number of other prominent citizens of that place, by Major Duyckinck, July 6, 1777, and removed to Trenton. A committee of the Provincial Congress reported, July 9, 1777, that they had waited on Dr. Lawrence and others, "apprehended and removed to this place, pursuant to an order of General Washington," and had taken "their parole, not to depart the town of Trenton, unless with leave of Congress." On Saturday, July 13, 1777, it was "ordered, that Dr. John Lawrence have leave to remove, on his parole, to Morristown, and not to depart from thence, more than six miles, without leave of Congress." A remarkable tribute to his ability and popularity appears in the proceedings of the Provincial Congress of Wednesday, July 17, 1777, when

"A petition from sundry ladies at Perth Amboy, setting forth, that they apprehend fatal and melancholy consequences to themselves and families, and to the inhabitants in general, if they should be deprived of the assistance of Dr. Lawrence's skill in his profession, as his attendance is hourly necessary to several patients now much indisposed, who will be left helpless if he be removed, as no other practitioner resides in that place, praying that he may be permitted to remain in Amboy; was read, and ordered a second reading.

"The petition from sundry ladies at Perth Amboy was read a second time, and ordered that a copy of the following letter, addressed to Mrs. Franklin, one of the subscribers, be signed by the President and sent:

"Madam:—

"I am ordered by Congress to acquaint you, and through you the other ladies of Amboy, that their petition in favour of Dr. John Lawrence has been received and considered.

"Could any application have procured a greater indulgence to Dr. Lawrence, you may be assured yours could not have failed of success. But, unhappily, madam, we are placed in such a situation, that motives of consideration to individuals must give place to the safety of the publick.

"As Dr. John Lawrence therefore has fallen under the suspicion of

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ander Millar, Daniel Platt, Joseph Smith, Thomas Tredwell, James Tuttle, Andrew Wilson, William Woodhull.

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our generals, we are under the necessity of abiding by the steps which are taken; And are, &c."

He was subsequently permitted to leave the State, and located in New York city, where he practiced medicine until 1783, and was also in command of a local Company of volunteers for the defence of the city. At the close of the War he returned to New Jersey, residing at Upper Freehold, but did not resume practice, having abundant means. His patients were among the most prominent families of New Jersey and New York, Long Island and Westchester county. He was never married. He died April 29, 1830, at Trenton, while away from home. His remains were brought back and interred in the grave yard of the old Yellow Church (Baptist) at Upper Freehold.—*N. J. Archives*, X., 302, note; *Wickes's Hist. Medicine in New Jersey*, 307-310; *Old Times in Old Monmouth*, 48, 150; *Lawrence Genealogy*, 1858; *Sabine's Loyalists*, II., 2; *Whitehead's History of Perth Amboy*, 330; *Minutes of Provincial Congress*, passim.

Samuel Leake, a native of Virginia, was licensed by the presbytery of Hanover, at Tinkling Spring, Virginia, April 18, 1766, was ordained May 3, 1770, and settled as pastor of Rich Cove and North Garden Presbyterian churches, Albemarle County, Virginia. He died December 2, 1775.

John McCrery studied theology and was licensed by the Presbytery of New Castle about 1767. He was ordained and installed as pastor of White Clay Creek Church, Delaware, in 1769, which charge he held until his death in 1800.

Alexander Miller was licensed to preach by the Presbytery of New York in 1767, and was ordained in 1770. In 1771, he took charge of a church gathered in Schenectady, New York, where he remained for eleven years, but during the distraction of the Revolutionary war, his congregation dispersed, and he was compelled to leave the field. He was a trustee of Princeton College, 1785-1795.

Joseph Smith, of Nottingham, Pennsylvania, was licensed by the Presbytery of New Castle, August 5, 1767, and was ordained and installed pastor of Lower Brandywine Church, Delaware, April 19, 1769. He resigned in 1772, and in 1774 accepted a call from the Second Church in Wilmington, which had united with his old Brandywine Church. He laboured here until April, 1778, when he resigned on account of the distracted state of the country, and removed to Western Pennsylvania, becoming pastor in 1780 of the church at Buffalo and Cross Creek. A revival soon began in his church which never ceased till the day of his death, more than twelve years. He died April 19, 1792.

Thomas Treadwell was a member of the Assembly of New York from Suffolk County, 1776-1783, and 1791 to 1795 he was a member of Congress from New York. He died in 1826.

James Tuttle was born May 7, 1742, the son of Col. Joseph Tuttle and his second wife, Abigail Nutman, sister of the Rev. John Nutman. Col. Tuttle was an Elder in the Hanover (Morris County) Presbyterian church for many years. Young Tuttle was fitted for College in the school of his pastor, the Rev. Jacob Green, and having graduated at Nassau Hall in 1764 studied theology with Mr. Green. In 1767 he was licensed to preach, by the Presbytery of New York. On Feb. 2, 1767, he married Anna, daughter of the Rev. Jacob Green. In April he became pastor of the Rockaway Presbyterian church. Before the end of 1769 he became too ill to preach, and so continued until his death, at Hanover, Dec. 25, 1770. He had but one child, Benajah, who died a few weeks before him. Mr. Tuttle was also pastor of the Parsippany church. He lived at Rockaway, in a parsonage built expressly for him. His tombstone (at Hanover) says: "This man of God had a short race but swift, he ran far in littel time. Few exceeded him in sweetness of Temper, Tenderness of conscience and fidelity in his ministerial work and the End of this man was Peace."—*Annals of Morris County*, by the Rev. Joseph F. Tuttle, 1876, p. 80.

William Woodhull, probably a native of Long Island, was licensed by the Presbytery of Suffolk in 1768, and ordained by the Presbytery of New York in 1770. In 1783, on account of ill health, he ceased from preaching and devoted himself to secular pursuits.

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The following commenced *Master of Arts, viz.* The Rev. Messrs. John Strain, and Nathan Kerr, and Messrs. David Caldwell, Thomas Henderson, John Leferty, and James Thompson; also, the Rev. Mr. David McGregore, had the honorary Degree of *Master of Arts* conferred on him.

*The above Latin *Theses*, for the Sake of English Readers, being translated, stand thus:

To lye for the Sake of saving a whole Nation, is not lawful.

The Light of Reason *alone*, does not afford sufficient Motives to Virtue.

All Dreams are not useless and insignificant.

He has not one true Virtue, who has not every one.

The two last were disputed forensically in English.—*The New York Mercury, October* 8, 1764.

RUN-away on wednesday the 26th of September, from the subscriber, living in Gloucester County West-Jersey, a lusty molato servant man named John Cunningham. Had on when he went away, a redish brown homespun jacket with red lineing, tow shirt and trowsers, an old hat, old stocking legings, and a sort of mockesons on his feet. Whoever takes up said servant and secures him so that his master may have him again shall have FIVE POUNDS reward and reasonable charges paid by me.

JOHN GOSLING.

—*The Pennsylvania Journal No.* 1140, *October* 11, 1764.

To be sold at public vendue, on Saturday, the 3d of November, on the premises, one moiety or half part of a certain tract of land and premises, situate, lying and being in Spotswood on each side Manalapan river, containing by estimation 2000 acres, together with a grist mill, saw-

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mill and forge, and appurtenances thereunto belonging; also several messuages and dwelling houses thereon built; taken in execution at the suit of Philip Kearney, John Lefferts, Benjamin Watkins, and John Watson, and belonging to Peter Ten Eik; also divers goods and chattels of and belonging to the said Peter Ten Eik, likewise taken by virtue of the execution aforesaid. The terms of sale, and circumstances of the land and premises, will be made known at the day and place of sale aforesaid, by

JAMES BROOKS, Sheriff.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1868, *October* 11, 1764.

From Fort Penn, in Northampton County, we have Advice, that Lieutenant Dunn, of the Jersey Troops, on the 20th of last Month, set out with a Party of Eleven Men, in order to try if he could fall in with any Indians on the Frontiers of this Province: That about Wyoming he found many Tracks of Indians, and four Cabbins, which he thought were made about ten Days before; and afterwards saw two Cannoes coming down the River, with three Indians in them; upon which his Men fired, and wounded one or more of them, there being a good Deal of Blood in one of the Cannoes, which the Enemy left behind them: That they soon after saw two more Cannoes coming down, in which were seven Indians, one of which presented his Piece at the party, when the Lieutenant immediately fired at him, and saw him fall in the Water; that the other Indians then pushed for the Shore, and our People having sunk the two first Cannoes, and the Water being deep, could not cross the River. The Party found in the Cannoes some Powder, a Firelock, a Number of Mockasons, a considerable Quantity of Bread Corn, two Blankets and a Coat. . . . . We are also informed that the Enemy had made large threshing Floors at Wy-

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oming, and threshed out the Wheat the New-England Men left there: And that this Information had alarmed the Inhabitants so much above Fort Penn, that some Families had left their Places.

Southwark, October 5, 1764.

TAKEN up in the River Delaware (nearly foundered, in attempting to swim from the Jerseys to the Pennsylvania Shore) a sorrel Mare, about four Years old, shod all round. The Owner proving his Property and paying the Charges, may have her again, by applying to

ARTHUR DONALDSON

BROKE out of a Pasture near the City of Philadelphia, on the 28th of September, at Night, a dark brown Mare, near 14 Hands high, paces and trots, branded on the near Buttock something like TL, and shod all round. Whoever takes up said Mare, and will bring her to Charles Jenkins, in Market-street, Philadelphia, or to the Widow Merit, in Bristol, or to Elijah Pound, in Middlesex, East Jersey, shall have Twenty Shillings Reward, and all reasonable Charges, paid at the Delivery of her at either of the above mentioned Places, by

ELIJAH POUND.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1868, *October* 11, 1764.

List of Letters remaining in the Post-Office, New-York.

. . . . Mary Thomson, Egg Harbour. . . . .

Surveyor-General's Office, Perth-Amboy, Octo. 15, 1764.

THE Deputy Surveyors of the Eastern Division, of New-Jersey, are requested to send into this Office, the Maps of their respective Districts, by the first Day of March next, without fail; as their Non-compliance with

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this Order, will be deemed a Resignation of their Places, and they will be superceded accordingly.

To be sold, at public Vendue, by the Subscriber, on Tuesday the 4th Day of December next;

ALL the Lands adjoining his Mills in Somerset County, East New-Jersey, amounting to 1500 Acres and upwards: They lye in the Forks of Lamatan and Peapack, and are esteemed as good as any in the Country; they are divided into Lots of 200 Acres, all well watered and timbered, with plenty of Meadow, on some of the Lots there are good Improvements. The purchase Money will be divided into three Payments, clear of Interest; and to make it more easy and convenient to the Buyers, not more than Twenty Shillings per Acre, will be demanded of the first Payment. For further Particulars apply to the Subscriber, at his Mills, who will shew the Lands, and a Map or Survey of the whole, made by Mr. Benjamin Morgan. As he designs to remove to New-York, his Mills and all the Improvements thereto belonging, will likewise be sold, that Day, if any Purchasers attend for that Purpose.

ANDREW LEAKE.

RAN-away from the Subscriber, living at Lamington, in the County of Somerset, a Negro Man, named Mount, about Twenty Years old, 5 Feet 6 or 7 Inches high: Had on when he went away, a light coloured Sagothee Coat, a black Broadcloth Jacket, a homespun dark coloured Jacket, also, homespun Tow Trowsers, a new felt Hat, Shoes and Stockings; talks very broken English; he also took with him a light coloured grey Horse, about 10 or 11 Years old, 14 Hands high, a natural Trotter, no Brand or other Mark, also, an old Saddle and Bridle. Any Person, taking up said Negro Man, and

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Horse, and securing them so that the Owner may have them again, shall have Thirty Shillings Reward, and all reasonable Charges paid by me,

ROBERT BARKLEY.

TO be sold, or lett, and entered upon immediately, the House and Lot, late the Property of Paul Klinehoff, deceased, of Elizabeth-Town, in New-Jersey; the said Lot contains one Acre and a half of very good Land convenient for keeping a Cow, and a large Garden, the said House is very good and convenient for a Merchant or Tradesman; there is three Fire-places and three Rooms, on a Floor, and a good Cellar, and Cellar Kitchen, the said Place stands in a pleasant Part of the Town, adjoining to the Land of St. John's Church, next Door to Mr. John West, on Golden-Hill. Any Person inclining to purchase or hire the said Place, may apply to John Harriman, or Thomas Tison, Ext.—*The New York Mercury, October* 5, 1764.

AT Mecklenburgh ferry on Delaware, forty one miles distance by land from Philadelphia, and twenty eight miles above Trenton, is kept by John Tinbrook, a genteel tavern, with good entertainment for all travellers, and the ferry well tended on both sides of the river, where people may pass over with carriages at all seasons of the year, as it seldom or ever freezes over in the hardest winter. From Philadelphia to Mecklenburgh is a good large open road much frequented; the ferry on Jersey side is kept by Daniel Prigmore at a new laid out town called Alexandria,[1] from whence it is thirteen miles to Col. Hacketts at the Union iron works, and forty miles to New-Brunswick, a good road through a fine settled country.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1141, *October* 18, 1764.

[1] In Hunterdon county, about thirty miles above Trenton.

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City of Burlington, October 5, 1764.

THE PUBLIC is hereby advertised, that in order to promote the bringing of Horses, Cattle, Sheep and Swine to the Fairs held in the City of Burlington, the Province of New Jersey, for Sale, that Corporation has provided and set apart commodious Lots of Ground in said City, free of Charge, for the Reception of such Beasts as may be brought for that Purpose. The Corporation also invite all Persons to bring to the said Fairs all Kinds of Linen and Woollen Manufactures, of this and the neighbouring Colonies; and for the Encouragement of those who shall furnish such Manufactures, four convenient Stalls will be assigned them Gratis for those Commodities only. The Fairs are held twice in every Year, viz. on the 12th and 13th Days of November; and on the 21st and 22d Days of May, unless either of said Days should be a Sunday, in which Case, the Fair is held the next succeeding Day.

By Order of the Corporation

SAMUEL ALLINSON, Clerk.

To be SOLD,

A HOUSE, and Lot of Land, pleasantly situated in Trenton, in the Province of West New-Jersey; the Lot is 60 Feet in Front, on the westerly Side of the Main Street, and 181 Feet and a Half in Depth. The House is two Stories high, with a Brick Addition, has three Rooms and a Kitchen below, with Cellars under the same, and two good Chambers above; and the Rooms are papered in the best and genteelest Manner. There is a good Well in the Yard, Hen and other convenient Houses; and the Garden is enclosed with a good Board Fence. Also a Lease of ten Years of another Lot, adjoining the above, 60 Feet front, and 181 Feet and a Half deep, on which is a good new Stable and Coach-house, completely finished.

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The Situation of the above described House and Lots is very desirable, being on a rising Ground, which of Course commands a full View of the Falls of Delaware; and what makes it yet more valuable is, that it is remarkably healthy. For Terms of Sale, apply to SAMUEL TUCKER, Esq; in Trenton, or WALTER SHEE, and Sons, in Philadelphia.

To be SOLD, or RENTED, for a Term of Years.

A Valuable Plantation, situate in Greenwich Township, Gloucester County (between Chever's and Goslin's Mills) containing about 353 Acres, between 40 and 50 Acres of Upland cleared, about 25 Acres Meadow, and 50 more may be easily made; thereon are two small Dwelling and Out-houses, also two young Orchards. The said Plantation is well watered, lying on both Sides Raccoon Creek, where there is a good Conveniency to build a Mill, being about 7 Miles from a Landing, and 20 from Gloucester. For Terms apply to CHRISTOPHER MARSHALL, in Chestnut street, Philadelphia

To be SOLD at THOMAS MULLEN'S, at the Ton in Water-street, Philadelphia; and at BENJAMIN YARD'S and JONATHAN RICHMOND'S, in Trenton

CHOICE PICKLED STURGEON, cured in the best Manner for present Use or Exportation, warranted good. Every Person buying, is desired first to take out the Bung, and draw off the Pickle in a clean Vessel, then harden on the Hoops, and pour in the Pickle. If at any time the Fish should not be covered with Pickle, add good Vinegar till it is, put a Cloth over the Kegg, then the Head, with a Weight to prevent Air getting in, and it will keep good in the warmest Climate.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1869, *October* 18, 1764.

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THIS is to give publick Notice, that there is to be sold, by way of private Sale, a Plantation lying in Middletown, East-New-Jersey, Monmouth County; containing between two and three Hundred Acres of Land, with about one Hundred and Sixty Acres cleared; and the rest very good Timber Land, with about six Acres of Meadow, and Forty more to be made, of the very best sort; whereon is a very good Dwelling-House, with three Fire-places, one not finished; also, a very good new Dutch Barn, Forty odd by Fifty odd Feet, with an exceeding good Orchard, with all Manner of Fruit exceeding plenty; the Place being exceeding well watered: It lies about three Miles from the publick Landing, where are to be had, Fish, Oysters and Clams, Fowling exceeding plenty. Any Person inclining to purchase the same, may apply to Cornelius Swart, in Freehold, and they shall have it on reasonable Terms, and a sufficient warranted Title, shall be given for the same, and Possession given immediately, if required, by me

CORNELIUS SWART.

JOHN HARDY,

TAKES this Method to inform the Public, that he has lately set up the Fulling Business, in Elizabeth-Town, within Three-quarters of a Mile of the Church; where Gentlemen may have any Kind of Cloth dressed, in the neatest Manner, and with the utmost Dispatch, by their humble Servant,

JOHN HARDY

To be Sold,

THE Lease for 78 Years from the first of May next, of a House and Lot of Ground, in New-Brunswick, pleasantly situated on the Bank of the River. The House has three Rooms on the first, and four on the second

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Floor; the Lot is 60 Feet in Front, 196 Feet deep on one Side, and 153 on the other, and 115 Feet wide in the Rear, divided by a Pale-fence for a Yard and Garden. On the Premises is a Barn, a Hovel, and other Out-Houses; the whole subject to a Rent of Three Pounds, per Ann. light Jersey Currency. For Terms of Sale enquire of William Mercer, on the Premises, who has to sell another Lot, adjoining the former, and nearly of the same Dimensions, on which is two Store Houses, which, with a small Alteration, may be converted into one or two Dwelling-Houses.

N. B. There is a Cellar under the above-mentioned House.—*The New York Mercury, October* 22, 1764.

NOTICE is hereby given, that there is to be sold or lett a Saw-mill, and new Grist-mill, with two Water Wheels, two Pair of Stones, boults by Water, situate in the Township of New Windsor, Middlesex County on Bare-brook, five Miles from Princetown College, five from Cranberry Town, eleven from the Landing at Crosswicks, and fifteen Miles to South River Landing. They are on a fine Stream of Water, and in good Part of the Country for Custom. Apply to

MANLON WRIGHT.

TEN POUNDS Reward.

Absconded, the 9th Day of October, from Burlington County one Christopher Housler, a German, with his Wife and five Children; he is a tall slim spare Man, speaks broken English, very bragging and talkative, and has long brown Hair; had on when he went away, a light coloured Fustian Coat, and sundry good Clothes, and took with him a Watch; he halts as he walks occasioned by a Stiffness in one Knee, and has found Means to take a considerable Sum of Cash, though it is not his own; his Wife is a lusty Woman, speaks better English than her

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Husband; the Children are, four Sons and one Daughter, the eldest has black Hair, the rest light; they went off in a light Waggon, covered with Leather, painted red, but old and dim, and not his own; the Horses are both black, unless he may have changed them, one has a bright Star in his Forehead, and not his own; the Harness is small Iron Traces, and very broad Back-bands; he is remarkable for a great Smoaker. Whoever secures said Christopher Housler in any Goal, so as he may be brought to Justice, and give Notice thereof to one of us the Subscribers, shall receive the above Reward. WILLIAM FOSTER, ROBERT POWELL, ASHER WOOLMAN, DANIEL EARNEST, BENJAMIN THOMAS, CALEB AUSTIN.

Trenton, October 15, 1764.

MADE his Escape from the Goal-Keeper, of the County of Hunterdon, on Saturday, the 13th of this inst. October, a certain James Cahill, about 5 Feet 2 Inches high, 22 Years of age, light coloured curled Hair, humped Nose, snuffles a little in his Speech, had on, when he went away, a Snuff coloured Broad-cloth Coat, took with him, a blue Suit of Cloaths; was lately a Soldier in the New-Jersey Regiment, in Colonel Hunt's Company. Whoever takes up the said Cahill, shall have Three Pounds Reward, on giving Notice thereof to

GEORGE BROWN, Goaler.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1870, *October* 25, 1764.

NEW YORK, *October* 29.

Tuesday last the Honourable JOHN TEMPLE, Esq; Surveyor General of his Majesty's Customs in the Northern District of America, arriv'd in Town from Boston, having visited all the Ports under his Jurisdiction be-

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tween the two Places; and Yesterday he set out for New-Jersey, Pennsylvania, &c.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1143, *November* 1, 1764.

TO BE SOLD,

By public vendue, on the premises, on the 20th day of November.

A Plantation or tract of land, late the property of Samuel Coles, junr. deceased, containing 750 acres, situate on the southerly branch of Racoon creek, adjoining the lands of Jacob Spicer, having a good stone dwelling-house and kitchen, thereon erected; also a good barn and other out houses, a young bearing orchard, about one hundred acres of cleared land, and forty acres of meadow, and near as much more may be made.

The wood land well timbered, consisting of a good deal of hickory, chestnut, poplar and white oak; situate pretty convenient to a landing: Also a very good stone quarry thereon, and appears to be great bodies of lime stone, out of which great quantities of lime hath been made. The premises to be entered upon the 25th of March next. The conditions of the sale are such, the purchaser to pay £400 down, and the remainder to be paid in four years next following, at four equal payments to be paid at the end of each year. The title indisputable and to be made at the first payment, with giving good security for the remainder if required. The sale to begin at two o'clock in the afternoon, where due attendance will be given by

KENDAL COLES
SAMUEL HUGG } Executors.
and JOHN HINCHMAN

N. B. Any person inclining to view the premisses before the day of sale, are desired to apply to Jacob Spicer,

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adjoining the premisses, for further information.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1143, *November* 1, 1764.

RUN away, on the 7th Day of October, a certain Peter Lucas, or Van Coplen, passes for a Frenchman or Spaniard, and sometimes a Dutchman, speaks all these Languages, and sundry others; by Trade a Shoemaker, and has stolen a Kitt of Shoemaker's Tools, with Lasts, and sundry other Things of Value; he is about 30 Years of Age, about 5 Feet 9 Inches high, of a dark Complexion, black curled Hair; he holds up his Head, and looks bold; a great talker, and is apt to swear, he has followed the Seas, and has been Mate in Joseph Wharton's employ, of Philadelphia, as he says; he has been guilty of sundry fraudulent and unjust Actions; had on, when he went away, a light coloured Coat, turned, with the Buttons on the Left Side, a blue double breasted Jacket, half worn Castor Hat, with sundry other Cloaths not known. Whoever takes up said Peter Lucas and secures him in any of his Majesty's Goals, so as he may be brought to Justice shall have Three Pounds Reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by

CHARLES ELLIOT, of Salem County.

Notice is hereby given to all Persons interested in the Meadows lying on both Sides of the Creek surrounding the Island of Burlington, belonging to, or included in those owned by a Company, called and known by the Name of The Lower Sluice Company in the City of Burlington, that at the next General Assembly to be held at Burlington, in and for the Province of New-Jersey, an Act will be petitioned for, to enable the Owners, Proprietors and Possessors of the said Meadows more effectually to drain and keep the Tide from overflowing the same, and for the Repeal of all former Laws, so far as

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affects the said Company; and all Persons concerned are desired then to appear and make their Objections, if any they have. By Order of a Majority of the Company.

SAMUEL ALLINSON, Clerk.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1871, *November* 1, 1764.

New-York, November 5. The 27th ult. about Noon, a Fire broke out in the Court-House at Perth-Amboy, which entirely consumed the Wooden Part of it. It is supposed to have catch'd from some Sparks flying out of the Chimney, and driven by the hard Wind on the Cupola; and notwithstanding it was discovered before it got to any Height, yet for the Want of an Engine, and by the Steepness of the Roof, all Endeavours to extinguish it proved ineffectual.

We likewise hear from New-Jersey, that on Saturday Night the 27th ult. departed this Life, at Perth-Amboy, in the 67th Year of his Age, the Hon. Samuel Nevill, Esq; Second Judge of the Supreme Court of that Province; which Post he long sustain'd with Dignity and Honour: He was also Mayor of the City of Perth-Amboy, and one of the Proprietors of the Eastern Division. Likewise many Years a Representative in the General Assembly, and often filled the Speaker's Chair with Integrity and Applause. In all his Offices, he was a faithful Servant to the Public, and his Loss in that Province is universally regretted.[1]

We hear from New-Jersey, that on Wednesday the 24th ult. a Boy about 11 Years of Age, Son of Mr. Samuel Marsh of Woodbridge, being on the fore Horse of a Team with a loaded Waggon, descending a Hill, the

[1] For sketches of Samuel Nevill, see N. J. Archives, VI., 323; XI., 469, note, and "Members of the New Jersey Assembly in 1754," by William Nelson, Paterson, N. J., 1895.

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Horse fell and threw him, and before he could recover himself the Waggon went over his Breast and crush'd him to Death, instantly. The same Afternoon three other Boys nearly of the same Age, each with a Team, hearing of the Accident, call'd in at Mr. Marsh's House to look at the deceased as he lay dead in the House. After they went away, one of the Boys, said to the others, that the deceased must have been foolish, else that after the Horse fell he might have got out of the way of the Waggon. Some time after, on the Road, the Boy who had made this Observation, fell from his Cart, the Wheel of which went over him; he got up and run a little Way, and then fell and immediately expired.

The same Day, a Man fell from a Saw-Mill, at or near Ash-Swamp, and was killed.

To be sold, the 5th Day of March 1765, at Vendue, if not sold before, by private Sale;

A Good Plantation, consisting of 123 Acres of Land, lying in Hanover, Morris County; about 4 Miles from the Court-House, on a very public Road, convenient for a Tavern, or any Tradesman; a rich good Soil, well timbered and watered, on which is a good large House and Barn, Grist-Mill, and Saw-Mill, with a sufficient Quantity of Fruit Trees, of divers Kinds.

Any Person inclining to purchase, may apply to Isaac Tuttle, on the Premises, who will agree on very reasonable Terms, and give a good Title for the same.

Ten Pounds Reward

BROKE out of the goal of the borough of Elizabeth, in the province of New-Jersey, this morning, about two o'clock, the following persons, viz. John Hanna, an Irishman, about 6 feet and one inch high, very much

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pock broken, long visage, and may be easily known by a deficiency in his left ear, having been lately cropped for passing counterfeit Pennsylvania bills. The other, Justus Matthews, also an Irishman, about 5 feet 10 inches high, has short hair, very sandy, he is also much pock broken, speaks very hoarse, and lately lived at Connecticut Farms, in this province. Any Person apprehending either of the said persons, so that they may be brought to justice, shall receive Five Pounds; and if both of them, Ten Pounds, proclamation money of New-Jersey, paid by

MOSES OGDEN, Sheriff of said borough.

Elizabeth-Town, New-Jersey, Nov. 3, 1764.

—*The New York Mercury, November* 5, 1764.

London, September 8, 1764.

NOTICE is now given, that the sale of seven eights of a Proprietorship in East New-Jersey, which on the 2d of June last was advertised should be held on the 6th of March 1765, is, for the conveniency of purchasers, prolonged to a more distant time, and will then certainly come on without further delay, as follows, viz.

To be Sold by PUBLICK SALE, *and not otherwise,*

At the New York Coffee-house in Sweething's Alley, Cornhill, London, on Wednesday the 29th Day of May, 1765, at Twelve o'Clock precisely.

Seven eights of a proprietorship (or one Twenty-fourth part) of all that very valuable colony, the province of EAST NEW-JERSEY, presently the property of the grandson and heir at law of one of the original Twenty-four proprietors.

For further particulars enquire of Mr. Brook Watson, merchant in Watling-street, London; Mr. Alexander Orme, clerk to the Signet, and Mess. Berry and Baillie, merchants, in Edinburgh, Mr. William Donaldson, mer-

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chant, at New Brunswick in East New-Jersey; and Mr. Amos Strettell, merchant in Philadelphia.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1144, *November* 8, 1764.

RUN away from the Subscriber, living in Nottingham, near Trenton, New Jersey, an indented Servant, named Zedekiah Marlin, about 18 Years of Age, dark Complexion, about 5 Feet 6 Inches high, dark brown Hair; had on, when he went away, a Hat made in the Form of a Jockey Cap, by cutting it round, a mixed homespun Coat, not half worn, a striped homespun Jacket, something old, a Hole burnt in the Right Flap of his Coat, as large as a Dollar, had on a Pair of Linen Drawers, something worn, a Tow Cloth Shirt, blue Stockings, and a Pair of old Shoes, has a down Look. Any Person securing said Marlin, so that his Master may have him again, shall have Forty Shillings Reward, and all reasonable Charges, paid by

RICHARD MOUNT.

TO BE LETT

A Large and convenient House, Kitchen, Stables and Shed, with a large Orchard, and 12 Acres of Land, all joining said House; it has been for a Number of Years a very noted Tavern, situate in Allen Town, East New-Jersey, on the Stage Road to New York and Shrewsbury, now in the Tenure of David Clayton. Enquire of Dr. James Newell, in Allen Town; or of Elizabeth Stennard, or Thomas Wishart, in Philadelphia.

To be SOLD by the Subscriber,

A Valuable Plantation, lying in Kingwood, a very flourishing Part of Hunterdon County, West-Jersey, containing 200 Acres, 100 of Plough-land, and 15 Acres of Meadow cleared, and in good Repair; two good bearing

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Orchards, containing upwards of 300 Trees, chiefly grafted, with excellent Fruit, Peach and other Fruit Trees, well timbered and watered, 20 or 25 Acres more of good Meadow may be made, the Land good for Grain and English Pasture; there is a good new built Stone House, two Stories high, 31 by 21 Feet, an excellent Cellar, fit for any public Business, a good framed and Log House, a good Stone Granary, with a Cellar under it, a good Frame Barn, 36 by 24 Feet, within one Mile and an Half of two good Grist-mills, lying in a very public Place, on a great Road leading to Philadelphia, about two Miles from a Landing and excellent Fishery on the River Delaware, near divers Places of divine Worship. Any Person inclining to purchase the same, may know the Terms, by applying to the Subscriber, on the Premises.

MALAKIAH BONHAM.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1872, *November* 8, 1764.

Burlington, New Jersey, November 10, 1764

On Tuesday last, being the Day appointed for holding the Supreme Court, for the Province of New-Jersey, at Burlington, the honourable FREDERICK SMYTH, Chief Justice for the Province, accompanied by the Judges of the Supreme and Inferior Courts, and several other Persons of Distinction in the Province, took his Seat on the Bench, and soon after pronounced a Charge to the Grand Jury, setting forth the Excellency of the British Constitution; the admirable Institution of Trials by Juries, and, with great Clearness and Perspicuity, described the Office and Duty of a Jury. In the Course of his Charge he took Occasion, in a Manner which did Honour to himself, and gave great Satisfaction to all the Bystanders, to inculcate the Duties of Religion and Loyalty, as the most effectual

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Means to secure domestic and public Happiness. The Grand Jury, after their Business was dispatched, but before they left the Court, presented the following Address to the Chief Justice,

To FREDERICK SMYTH, *Esq; Chief Justice of the Province of New Jersey.*

WE, the Grand Jury for the County of Burlington, embrace this first Opportunity of congratulating you on your safe Arrival in this Province, and Accession to the Office of Chief Justice.

It is a Matter of the highest Satisfaction to us, and Importance to the Province in general, to behold, in your Honour, a Successor, from whose Abilities, and early Disposition of inculcating the Principles of true Religion and Virtue, we have Reason to hope for a Continuance of every domestic and public Happiness in the Power of a Chief Justice to bestow, consistent with the Trust reposed in him, which we conceive will be the most effectual Means of rendering your Conduct acceptable to His most gracious Majesty, and making your Administration easy and happy among us; to effect which, any Endeavours of ours will not be wanting

By Order of the Grand Jury,

HENRY PAXSON, Foreman

To which the Chief Justice immediately returned the following Answer

GENTLEMEN of the Grand Jury,

I Thank you most heartily for your kind Congratulations on my Arrival in this Province.

The good Opinion you are pleased to entertain of me, and this public Testimony of your Approbation of my Sentiments, give me the highest Satisfaction, as it pro-

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ceeds from Gentlemen so deservedly respectable in this County.

As it is my fixed Determination to discharge the Duties of my Office with the utmost Integrity and Impartiality, and to conduct myself by Rules of Behaviour becoming my Station, allow me, Gentlemen, to hope, that I shall be found, in some Degree, deserving the Trust reposed in me by His Majesty; and not unworthy the Approbation and Esteem of the good People of this Province.

OWEN BIDDLE

CLOCK AND WATCH MAKER, is removed from the House next to the Corner of Market street, in Third-street, to the House where George Owen lately dwelt, in Market street, next Door to Hugh and George Roberts's Warehouse; where he makes and repairs,

ALL Kinds of Clocks and Watches, in the neatest and best Manner. Also Trenton blistered Steel, warranted to be of the best Quality, is sold in any Quantity, at a moderate Price, with Allowance to Country Store-keepers and Retailers.

Philadelphia, November 15, 1764.

To be SOLD, A House, and Lot of Ground, situated on the South-side of High or Market-street, containing in Breadth 15 Feet 4 Inches, and in Depth 74 Feet, free of Ground-rent, and Title indisputable. For Terms, apply to Mr. Francis Jeyes, Merchant, in Second-street, or to Dr. Ralph Asheton, in Trenton.

To be SOLD, at the ROCKY-HILL MINES, by way of publick Vendue, on Monday, the third Day of December next, at Two o'Clock in the Afternoon, a Farm, containing 112 Acres of Land, about 30 Acres of which are cleared, the rest well timbered, and a good Soil for Grain

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or Grass; there is a House and a small Orchard on it, now under Lease till next April, and in Possession of Benjamin Van Cleef, situate about two Miles and a Half from said Mines, near Benjamin Emmons's and Jocam Gulick's Farms. Also will be sold, one Forty-eighth Part of the said Rocky Hill Mines; and one Sixth, and one Forty-eighth Part of the Well Mine, on the same Farm. A good Title will be given to the Purchaser, and the Conditions made known on the Day of Sale. If bad Weather on the Day of Sale, it will be sold the next fair Day.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1783, *November* 15, 1764.

TO BE SOLD

OXFORD FURNACE IRON WORKS,

IN NEW-JERSEY,

With about four thousand acres of land, enquire of Joseph Shippen in German Town, or of Dr. Shippen, in Philadelphia. If any gentleman inclines to purchase a part rather than the whole, he may have three eights, one half, or five eights of said works, the quality of the iron and the conveniences of the place are so well known, as to render any commendations unnecessary.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1146, *November* 22, 1764.

FIVE POUNDS *Reward*

RUN away from the Subscriber on Saturday, the 30th of June last, a young Mulatto Fellow, about 20 years of Age, named Frank, about five Feet five Inches high, well set, full faced, short black curled Hair, very apt to swear when angry; had on and with him, when he went away, a coarse home made Tow Shirt and Trowsers, a Woolen Jacket, home-made, old Hat and Stockings; it is supposed he has changed his Clothes, and perhaps his Name by this Time; it also is supposed he is some where in the

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Cedar Swamps in the Jerseys, down Delaware River, as his Mother, and others of his Acquaintance, live near Cohansey, where the Fellow I believe was bred. Whoever secures said Mulattoo in any Goal, or brings him to his said Master, shall have the above Reward, besides reasonable Charges, paid by

THOMAS WITHERSPOON.

RUN away from the Subscriber hereof, living in Pilesgrove, Salem County, Province of West New Jersey, two Servants, about Eleven o'Clock at Night on the 13th of this instant November; one a Lad, named John Coleman, about 18 Years of Age, freckled Face, has red Hair, about 5 Feet 6 Inches high; had on a lightish coloured Coat, with large Metal Buttons to the Breast and Skirts, old Leather Breeches, a new Castor Hat, made by Joseph Shute, of Philadelphia, which he stole from his Master, and good Shoes, with large Brass Buckles. The other a Girl, born in Ireland, and came over about two Years ago, about 5 Feet 2 Inches high, about 20 Years of Age named Dorothy Mickle, has a Scar over or under her Right-eye; had on a slanting short red and white Calicoe Gown, and a striped long Cotton Gown, a worsted Quilt, old Shoes, with large Metal Buckles in them, is very talkative, pretends to be well acquainted with the White Boys in Ireland, and talks much of them; she has sundry other Clothes with her, which she stole from her Mistress. Whoever takes up said Servants, and brings them to the Subscriber hereof, or secures them in any of His Majesty's Goals, so that they may be had again, shall have Four Pounds Reward for both or Forty Shillings for each, paid by

ISRAEL LAWRENCE.

N. B. They have passed for Man and Wife, and the Girl says she has been married to him two Years.

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TO BE SOLD

A Plantation in the Township and County of Gloucester, and Province of West New Jersey, containing 200 Acres, the Title to which is said to be indisputable, lying within five Miles of Gloucester, five from Haddonfield, and nine from Cooper's Ferry, handy to Mills and Smiths; also a very good two Story House, with a Cellar under the same, a good Stone Kitchen adjoining, a commodious Lodging Room, Stone Milk-house, Drawwell at the Door, a very good Orchard, about 12 Acres of good drained Meadow, and about 80 Acres of cleared Land, fit for the Plough, the same adjoining the River, and well watered. Any Person inclining to view the Premises before the Time of Sale, may apply to Gabriel Davis, or Joel Clark, Executors, living near the Premises. The Sale to be held at Capt. Faulkner's, Inn-keeper, partly adjoining the said Premises. The Vendue to be on Monday the 31st of December, at Ten o'Clock, where due Attendance will be given by the Executors above mentioned.

N. B. All Persons indebted to the said Estate, are desired to make speedy Pay, without further Notice, or they may expect to be dealt with according to Law.

This is to give Notice to whom it may concern, that Richard Ham left a bay Mare in the Care of William Holmes in the Jerseys, about 4 Miles from Philadelphia, to Pasture, last June, and I the Subscriber understand said Ham has sold said Mare, and will not have any Thing to do with her; these are therefore to give Notice that she will be sold the 24th of this inst. November, to pay the Charges that are against said Mare, unless the Right Owner comes before the Day of Sale

William Holmes.

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To be SOLD by the Subscriber,

A Good two Story Brick House, in Bordentown, with four Rooms on a Floor below, and two above, with good Cellars, a Well at the Door, and a good Garden. Also a good Shop, suitable for a Tradesman, fronting the Street with a Stable, Chair-house, and a Cow-shed. The Title is indisputable, and clear of all Incumbrances. Any Person inclining to purchase the same; may know the Terms, by applying to SAFETY MAGEE, in Bordentown, or to RICHARD ALLISON, living in Hopewell.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1874, *November* 22, 1764.

New-York, November 26. Tuesday last, a Half Mile Race was run on Staten-Island, for £. 300 between Mr. Waters's Horse True Briton, and a Gelding belonging to Mr. Coreel, of New-Jersey, which was won by three Lengths by the former.

To be Sold,

A New Forge of three Fires, at Lamaton Falls, with 200 Acres of Land, and lies no more than 12 Miles from the Union Iron-Works; there is 30 Acres of the Land good Meadow, and 10 more may be made; also a good House, Orchard, and several small Tenements, and a great Part of the Land cleared. The Forge will be sold with, or without the Land. Any Person inclining to purchase the same, may apply to Michael Abeel, or John Bunn, living near the Premises, by whom a good Title will be given.

BY Virtue of sundry Writs of Fieri Facias to me directed, I have taken and seized divers goods and chattels, and also the Lands and Tenements of Samuel Stockton, containing upwards of 200 Acres of Land, situate on the road leading from Princetown to Trentown,

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within two Miles of said Princetown in the County of Somerset, and Province of New-Jersey; there is on the said Lands, a good new Brick House, two Stories high, a large Dutch Barn, and a good bearing Orchard. Which said Goods and Chattels, Lands and Tenements, will be exposed to sale, by Way of public Vendue, on the Premises, on Tuesday the 5th Day of February next; of which, all Persons concerned and those who are desirous to become Purchasers, are desired to take Notice.

GEORGE REEMER, Sheriff

Whereas the Goods and Chattels, Lands and Tenements above mentioned, have been often advertised, and the Advertisements destroyed, for which I have been blamed, I do hereby declare, that it is my Desire that the Goods and Chattels, Lands and Tenements, aforesaid, shall be sold at the Time and Place aforesaid; where also will be sold, 200 other Acres, adjoining the aforesaid Tract, on which there is a good Stone House, by me

SAMUEL STOCKTON

—*The New York Mercury, November* 26, 1764.

TO be leased on ground rent, for the term of 60 years, seven lots of land, in the city of Perth-Amboy, all situate near the market square; three of them run near two and an half chains long, and 44 feet wide, and front west on High-street; the other four are of the same length, and 33 feet wide, joining on the rear of the three above mentioned, and front east on a street. The three to be had each at three pounds, proclamation money, per annum; and the four each at two pounds five shillings, proclamation money, per annum. Those who incline to lease, must apply to the Rev. Mr. M'Kean, Samuel Serjeant, or John Smyth, at Perth Amboy. And in case the said lots are not leased by the 2d day of January next,

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they will on that day, at two o'clock in the afternoon, be set up at public vendue, at the market place, in Perth-Amboy.—*Supplement to the New York Mercury, November* 26, 1764.

To be sold, a Lot of Land, situated in the City of Burlington, containing near three Acres, fronting High-street 136 Feet and Wood-street 226, on which is a two Story Brick House, an Orchard and Garden, and is well situated for any Person in public Business, being near the Court-house. Also to be lett, and may be entered on by the 1st of April next, two Dwelling-houses, with a Draw-well, Garden and Orchard, with a Lot of Land, containing four Acres, fronting York-street 180 Feet. For Terms, enquire of WILLIAM HEWLINGS, in the City aforesaid.

To be sold by public Vendue, on Monday, the 3d of December, at 2 o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the House of Benjamin Davids, in Crosswicks, Burlington County, a House and Lot of Ground, containing one Quarter of an Acre, more or less; with a good Dwelling-house, Work-shop, a Well of good Water, a Garden, with several Fruit Trees, pleasantly situated in Crosswicks, near the Friends' Meeting-house, now in the Tenure of David Clark, who has four Years of a Lease on the Premises to come; late the Estate of Thomas Overend, deceased. The Title indisputable.

Trenton, October 26, 1764.

BY Virtue of several Writs of Fieri Facias to me directed, will be exposed to Sale, at public Vendue, on Wednesday, the 26th Day of December next, at the Court-House, in Trenton, between the Hours of Twelve and Five o'Clock in the Afternoon, a Tract of Land and

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Plantation, containing 398 Acres (be it more or less) with Houses, Out-Houses, &c. &c. situate in Amwell, about a Mile and an Half from Coryell's Ferry, bounded by Lands late Benjamin Smith's deceased, William Richards and others, now or late in the Possession of John Coryell. Also the Ferry-House, and about 70 Acres of excellent low Land, fronting the River Delaware, known by the Name of Coryell's Ferry; on which are convenient Buildings for a Tavern, and has been a noted and well accustomed House; a good bearing Orchard, with many other Conveniences, now in the Possession of Philip Atkinson. The above Lands were late the Estate of Emanuel Coryell deceased, seized and taken in Execution at the Suit of John Vanmiddleworth, and Baltus Pickle, and to be sold by

SAMUEL TUCKER, Sheriff.

Trenton, October 27, 1764.

BY Virtue of several Writs of Fieri Facias to me directed, will be sold at public Vendue, to the highest Bidder, on Friday, the 28th Day of December next, between the Hours of 12 and 5 o'Clock in the Afternoon, on the Premises, a valuable Plantation, containing 285 Acres of Land (be it more or less) situated in the Township of Kingwood, in the County of Hunterdon, and Province of New-Jersey, near the Baptist Meeting-House, bounded by Lands of Christopher Fisher, Benjamin Jones and John Oliphant; 150 Acres thereof are cleared, and in good Fence, in which are 9 Acres of Meadow, and about Twenty more that may be made. There is on the Premises a large Dwelling-House, that has three Rooms on the lower Floor, neatly finished, and a good Cellar under the same; also a large frame Barn Shingled, and compleatly finished large Barrack, Waggon-House, Smoke and Negroe-House, with Cooper's House and Shop, a large Gar-

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den paled in, and all the Buildings in good Repair. Also a Lot of Land, containing about 3 Quarters of an Acre, lying between Christopher Fisher and John Oliphant's Land. Likewise Horses, Cows, young Cattle, Hogs, Waggons, Ploughs, Harrows, Pleasure Sleigh, Feather Beds and Bedding, Looking-Glasses, Tables, Chairs, Brass Kettles, Iron Pots, Pewter Platters, Plates, Dishes and Basons; with sundry other Houshold Goods and Farming Utensils, late the Property of Henry Snyder, seized and taken in Execution at the Suit of George Duncan, Messieurs Lott and Low, John Smalley, and others, and to be sold by

SAMUEL TUCKER, Sheriff.

New-Jersey, Hunterdon County, ss.

BY Virtue of several Writs of Fieri Facias to me directed, will be exposed to Sale, at public Vendue, to the highest Bidder, on Tuesday, the 15th Day of January next, between the Hours of Twelve and Five o'Clock in the Afternoon, on the Premises, that commodious, and most agreeable situated House, which has long been known to be an elegant and well accustomed Tavern, with the Lots of Land thereunto belonging, situated in Trenton, is on the Corner 67 Feet front on Queen-street, and 174 Feet front on Market-street, adjoining the Lands of William Morris, Esq; William Clayton, Esq; James Smith, and Robert Singar, containing Half an Acre, more or less; the House is built of Brick, 35 by 35 Feet square, two Stories high, four Rooms on the lower Floor, a spacious Entry through it, there are three Rooms on the second Story, one of which is a genteel Assembly Room, with a Door that opens into a fine Balcony fronting Queen Street, good lodging Rooms in the third Story or Garret, neatly finished, convenient Fire-pleces in the

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House, and excellent Cellars underneath the whole. Also, a large Brick Kitchen, 21 Feet front on Queen-street, and 41 Feet back, two Stories high, in which is a Wash-house, with good lodging Rooms in the second Story and Garret; the whole compleatly finished, large Stables fronting Market-street, with Cow-houses, Hen-houses, Pigeon-houses, a good Garden, with a large Yard, in which is an excellent Well; late the Property, and now in the Possession of Robert Rutherford;[1] Seized and taken in Execution at the Suit of Moore Furman, Robert Lettis Hooper, and others, and to be sold by

SAMUEL TUCKER, Sheriff.

N. B. The Conditions will be made known at the Time of Sale.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1875, *November* 29, 1764.

November 12, 1764.

RUN away, last Night, from the Subscriber, in Manington Township, Salem County, a Servant Man, named John Nixon, aged 24 Years, small Stature, slow of Speech, has a down Look, a long thin Nose, has sore Legs, short lightish curled Hair, Had on, when he went away, a new Felt Hat, a homespun blue grey cloth Jacket, with Slash Sleeves, a striped Linsey Woolsey one under it, striped Trowsers, supposed to have Leather Breeches under them. Whoever taks up said Servant, and brings him to his Master, or secures him in any Goal, so that he may have him again, shall have Forty Shillings Reward, paid by

MOUNCE KEEN, jun.

N. B. The 12th at Night he lodged at Charles Steelman's, at Great Egg Harbour River.

[1] For notice of Robert Rutherford and his tavern, see N. J. Archives, XX., 168.

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LIST of LETTERS in the Post-Office at TRENTON.

A.

John Anderson, near Trenton; Isabel Anderson, Amwell.

B.

Malakiah Bonham, Kingwood; Francis Basset, Burlington; William Ball, Maidenhead; Robert Brown, Morris-Town.

C.

William Carter, Haddonfield; Samuel Canby, Makefield.

D.

Ann Davis, Prince-Town.

E.

Thomas Elstre, Trenton; Captain Joseph Ellis.

F.

Robert Fisher, Union Iron-works.

G.

Oliver Gallup, New Hanover.

H.

Jonathan Hunt, Hopewell; John Haw, Hunterdon County; Thomas Hervey, Bucks County; John Hews, Upper Freehold; Margaret Hooper, Trenton.

I.

Jonathan Isaac, Andover Furnace.

K.

William Kars, Amwell.

L.

Messieuers Lake and Vancourt, Bronly; Elisha Lawrence, jun. West Jersey; John Logan, Basking-Ridge.

M.

Francis M'Shane, Union Iron-works; Morris M'Graw, Hunterdon County.

N.

Lydia Noble, Maidenhead.

O.

Mary O'Bryan, Trenton.

P.

Mrs. Philpot, Trenton; John Prall 2, near Coryell's Ferry; David Price, Hopewell.

R.

James Ritchie, Kingwood; Andrew Reed, Freehold

S.

Henry Snyder, Kingwood, Matthias Swayeze, Bethlehem; Comfort Safe, Middletown; Theophilus Severns, Trenton; Mr. Smock and Company, Middletown Point; Joseph Smith, Wright's Town, Bucks County; Edward Stevenson, Middletown.

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T.

George Trenchard, Esq; West Jersey; William Thomas near Bound Brook.

W.

Joseph Willis, Spunktown; Samuel Worth, Stony Brook; John Wollard, Trenton.

Y.

Mr. John Yager, Amwell.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1876, *December* 6, 1764.

A large Sloop, with a white bottom, is ashore near Egg-Harbour.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1148, *December* 6, 1764.

RUN-away from George Tucker, blacksmith, in Trenton, an apprentice boy named John Gormon, about 19 years of age, dark complexion, much freckled in the face: Had on when he went away, a cloth coloured coat, with a falling cape, cloth coloured jacket, and buckskin breeches, two shirts, one white, the other check. All persons are forbid harbouring or entertaining him, and all masters of vessels from carrying him off at their peril. And whoever takes up and secures him, so that his master may have him again, shall have Forty Shillings reward, and all reasonable Charges paid by

GEORGE TUCKER.

—*The New York Mercury, December* 10, 1764.

We hear the Sloop Elizabeth, Capt. Killgour, from this Port for New York, is cast away on Brigantine Beach; the Vessel and Cargo lost, and one man drowned.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1149, *December* 13, 1764.

NEW-YORK, December 6

On Tuesday Evening, we hear, came to Town three Officers, and 45 Men belonging to the Jersey Blues, from Albany.

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RUN away on the 9th Instant, from Isaac Merrit, of Burlington County, a Dutch Servant Man, named Casper Goodenberg, about five Feet three Inches high, thick and well set, full Face, with black bushey Hair: Had on when he went away, a coarse Felt Hat, with a Brass Button, blue Coat, Jacket and Breeches, blue grey Stockings, with white Leggings over them, thick strong Shoes, with middling large Brass Buckles; can speak but little English, is about 33 Years of Age, by Trade a Clock-maker. Whoever takes up said Servant, and brings him home, or secures him in any Goal, so as he may be had again, shall have Three Pounds Reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by

ISAAC MERRIT.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1877, *December* 13, 1764.

New-York, December 17. The Schooner Little-Taff, outward bound for New-Providence, run ashore at Sandy-Hook, last Sunday Week, and is not yet got off.—*The New York Mercury, December* 17, 1764.

EIGHT POUNDS Reward.

RUN-away from the subscriber, living in Salem county, West New-Jersey; two apprentice lads, this country born, one named James Hoffman, by trade a shoemaker, about 17 years of age, 5 feet 7 inches high; had on a light colour'd broadcloth coat, half worn, a lincey jacket, and a cotton velvet ditto, was red but much faded, leather breeches, and nankeen ditto, yarn stockings, and homespun shirt. The other named Johnathan Fosset, by trade a joyner, about 19 years of age, 5 feet and an half high; had on when he went away, a brown broadcloth coat, a light coloured sagathee jacket, leather

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breeches, and blue everlasting ditto, and took with him a bundle of other cloaths. Whoever takes up and secures the aforesaid two apprentices in any goal, or in the work house, so as their masters may have them again, or bring them to their masters, shall have the above reward, or FOUR POUNDS for each, with reasonable charges paid by

JOHN LOYD, and JOSEPH SHINN.

—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1150, *December* 20, 1764.

New-York, December 24. We hear from Elizabeth-Town, that upon the 29th of last Month, near Fifty Heads of the principal Families in and about that Place, entered into an Engagement to retrench the present usual and unnecessary Expences of Funerals and Mourning, as the giving of Scarfs, Gloves and Liquor at Funerals, and wearing black Apparel as Mourning; nothing but a black Crape round the Arm being allowed for the Future. [*We hope this frugal Practice, which will be a Saving of many Thousands to this Country, may universally prevail*]

RUN-away from the Subscriber, living at Middle-Brook, in the County of Somerset, and Province of East-New-Jersey, an Apprentice Lad named William Oliphant, by Trade a Taylor, he is between 17 and 18 Years of Age, and is a likely full faced Lad, has light Hair inclining to red: had on when he went away, a small Felt Hat, a light colour'd Coat, a double breasted blue Vest, red Breeches, new Yarn Stockings, and a new pair of Pumps. Whoever takes up said Apprentice, and secures him, so as his Master may have him again, shall have Seven Pounds Reward, and reasonable Charges paid by

JOHN POOL.

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Perth-Amboy, December 15, 1764.

THIS Day a short thick fellow, who calls himself Matthew Collins, and was formerly a Soldier in his Majesty's 44th Regiment, was committed to Goal in this City, upon Suspicion of having stole a few Yards of scarlet Cloth. Any Person having lost the same, proving his Property, and paying the Charges may have it again, by applying to Stephen Skinner.—*The New York Mercury, December* 24, 1764

Custom-House, Philadelphia, Entered In. Brig St. Johnston, T. Greg, to Perth.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1151, *December* 27, 1764.

Chesterfield, New-Jersey, 12th Month, 18th Day, 1764.

To the PUBLIC.

WHEREAS the Bond Daniel Quicksall forewarned the Public from taking, was put in Suit against the said Quicksall by the Subscriber, and after that, by said Quicksall's Request, was left to Arbitration, whereon an Award was obtained against said Quicksall for Thirty-four Pounds Principal, and Interest, with reasonable Costs of Suit; the publishing this may show the imperfection of frail Creatures Memory and the Injustice of a false Accusation against me.

Christopher Finigan.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1879, *December* 27, 1764.

New-York. December 20.

Capt. Albertson, whose sloop was lately driven on shore at Cape May, got his vessel off without much damage, and is now in this port delivering his cargo.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1879, *December* 27, 1764.

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New-York, January 3. One Gibson, in a Passage from Amboy, with 18 People on Board, on Christmas Night, lost his Rudder and was driven on shore, at Yellow Hook, Long Island, where the Vessel still lies, but the People got safe on Shore, only that some of them were Frost Bitten.

On New Year's Day a Petit-Augre,[1] having on board a Sleigh, two Horses, and several Men, was entangled in the Ice on the North River, between the New Ferry at Poulas's Hook and New-York, where they were in imminent Danger of perishing. But by some assistance they received from the West Shore, we hear all the People got safe to Land; the Horses and the Sleigh were yesterday Morning brought from the Petit-Augre on the Ice, and are lodged at Mr. Stout's.

To Be Sold

Together or in Part, now or at any Time between this and March,

A Valuable Plantation, containing two hundred and thirty-five Acres, fifteen or sixteen Acres of which are excellent Meadow, with a constant stream of Water running through the same; about forty Acres of good Wood-land, with the House, Barn and other Buildings, a good bearing Orchard, and other valuable Improvements; situated about four Miles from Trenton on both Sides the Road that leads to Pennington, and about three Miles from Howell's (late Yarley's[2]) Ferry on the Road to Princeton; there are several Lots laid out on the Corner of the aforesaid Roads, very convenient for a Town, and several inexhaustible Springs to water the said Mead-

[1] Perlauger.
[2] Yardley's.

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ow at Discretion: For Particulars inquire of the Owner living on the Premises.

December 13, 1764. WILLIAM HARCOURT.

—*The New York Gazette or Weekly Post Boy, January* 3, 1765.

FOR
HULL and to touch at DOVER,
The good Ship
MARY,
ROBERT BINGLEY, Master,

HAVING all her cargo engaged, will sail in three weeks. For passage apply to John Relfe, at his store on Market-street wharff, who hath to sell on the most moderate terms for cash, a general assortment of dry goods, New England rum, molasses, superfine Liverpool salt, sweet oil, red and white wines, sean twine, gun flints, Bristol beer, Dorchester ale, London saffron, cut tobacco in small boxes, large jarrs that holds 30 gallons, the best Jersey pork in barrels and half barrels, and Spermaceti candles warranted pure . . . .—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1152, *January* 3, 1765.

To be sold by public Vendue, by CONSTANTINE DOUGHERTY, on Thursday, the 7th of February next, at Ten o'Clock in the Forencon, at Pennington, in Hopewell, Hunterdon County, West New Jersey, a House and Lot, containing Half an Acre, with a Stable; the House 37 Feet by 28, four Rooms, with a Fire-place in each, and an Entry through the whole, on the lower Floor, the whole is well finished, being cieled and plaistered, with a good Cellar under; it is very suitable for a Merchant (a Shop being kept in the House at present) Tavern-keeper or Tradesman, lying on the main Road where the Principal of the Produce of the Country, for sixty Miles back,

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comes to Market, a fine Country round the same; also Horses, and an Assortment of Goods, amongst which are the following, viz.

Broadcloths, Coatings, Bearskins, Naps, Durants, Duroys, Tammies, Shaloons, Flannels, Halfthicks, Thicksets, Fustians, Plush Velvet Breeches and Vest Patterns, Calimancoes, Silk, Worsted, Cotton and Linen Stockings, Silk Camblets, Poplins, Dresdenets, Bombazeens, Crapes, Grandurels, Cambricks, Lawns, flowered Lawns, Scots Gauge, Minionet Lawns, Muslins, Linens, Capuchin Silks, Cloaks, Lace, an Assortment of Mourning for Men and Women, Silk, Worsted and Leather Mitts and Gloves, Gimps, Snail Ribbons, Linen and Cotton Checks, Silk, Lawn and Check Handkerchiefs, Silk and Linen Stock Tape, Shoes, hard Ware, Pewter, Delph Stone Ware, Mohair, Metal, Mohair and Horn Buttons, Buckram, Braid, Galoons, Whalebones, Books, and sundry other Goods, too tedious to mention.

N. B. All Persons indebted to me, by Bond, Bill, Note or Book Account are desired to discharge the same immediately, or they will lay me under the disagreeable Necessity of proceeding as the Law directs, without Respect of Persons.

CONSTANTINE DOUGHERTY.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1880, *January* 3, 1765.

Next MONDAY will be published, and to be sold by
WILLIAM BRADFORD,
At his BOOK-STORE in *Market-Street,* adjoining the *London Coffee-House.*

A
SERMON,
Occasioned by the Death of the late Reverend
MR. GILBERT TENNENT

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Pastor of the Second PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH in PHILADELPHIA.

WITH AN

APPENDIX:

BY

SAMUEL FINLEY, D. D.

PRESIDENT of the COLLEGE of *New-Jersey*.

To which is added

A FUNERAL

EULOGY,

By a young Gentleman of PHILADELPHIA[1]

—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1153, *January* 10, 1765.

Jan. 3. One Gibson, in a Passage Boat from Amboy, with 18 People on board, on Christmas Night, lost his Rudder, and was driven on shore, at Yellow Hook, Long Island, where the Vessel still lies, but the People got safe on Shore, only that some of them were Frost Bitten.

The Schooner Polly, Captain Avery, from North-Carolina for this Place, was left in the Ice, below the Mouth of Cohansey Creek; the People were taken out by a Boat the Sixth Instant, having no Provisions left on board.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1881, *January* 10, 1765.

TEN POUNDS Reward.

BROKE out of the common Goal of the County of Gloucester, in October last, one James Abbitt, about 5 Feet 5

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1 The full title is thus given in Hildeburn's Issues of the Press in Pennsylvania (No. 1988):

The successful Minister of Christ dis- | tinguished in Glory. | A |Sermon, | Occasioned by the Death of the Reverend | Mr. Gilbert Tennent, | Pastor of the Second Presbyterian Congre- | gation, in Philadelphia. | Preached on the 2d Day of September, 1764. | By Samuel Finley, D. D. | President of the College of New-Jersey. | . . . . | . . . . | Philadelphia. | Printed and Sold by William Brad- | ford, at his Book-Store in Market-Street, | adjoining the London Coffee-House. | M,DCC, LXIV. | 8 vo. pp. 28, xv, xvi.

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Inches high, a likely well made Man, by Trade a House Carpenter; had with him a Dove coloured Broadcloth Coat, flowered Jacket, a reddish homespun Ditto, sundry Pair of Breeches, Channel Boots and Pumps, a blue Cloth Coat, with sundry other Cloaths; also a Silver Watch and Silver Buckles; has been heard of in Philadelphia several Times, goes by the Name of Burrough Abbitt, and, as is said, wears a small grey Wig. Any Person that secures said James Abbitt in any of his Majesty's Goals, so as he may be had safe back to said Gloucester Goal, shall have the above Reward, paid by

ROBERT FRIEND PRICE, Sheriff.

The Schooner Polly, Captain Avery, from North Carolina, that was left in the Ice below the Mouth of Cohansey Creek, drifted down to the Cape, where she was boarded by some of our Pilots, and carried into Turtle Gutt.

STOLEN out of the Stable of the Subscriber, in Waterford Township, Gloucester County, in the Night of the 13th of this instant January, a large roan Stallion, thought to be 15 Hands high, or upwards, shod before, four Years old next Spring. Whoever takes up and secures said Horse and Thief, so that the Owner may have his Horse again, and the Thief be brought to Justice, shall have Forty Shillings Reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by me

Barnabas Crowell.

To be SOLD by
ROBERT LETTIS HOOPER,

His Grist Mills, commonly known by the Name of Trenton Mills, with three Pair of Stones, three Bolting-boxes, a Country Bolt, suitable for the Country Business;

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as also his Fulling-mill, Dye-house, Press, and Tools for carrying on the Business of a Fuller; with a good Dwelling-house and Lot for a Fuller, &c, and a good Garden Lot for his Tenders, Bars, &c. the whole Buildings and Works in as compleat Order as any Mills in the Province, having been all put in good Repair, with Iron Rounds in the Trunnel Heads, and new Shafts, Cog-wheels, Water-wheels &c. The House is large and convenient for carrying on the Business, having a fine Country round the said Mills for Wheat and other Grain, lying in the Middle of Trenton, and the Landing does not exceed a Quarter of a Mile for the Delivery of all the Business of the Mills; and for the Advantage of the Buyer, there will be sold 100 Acres of Land, adjoining said Mills, one Third thereof being cleared, and in good Grass for Pasture or Meadow, the other two Thirds Woodland. Also a large Stone Dwelling-house, built with the best Lime Morter, and Quarry-stone, compleatly finished, with Out-houses, Chaise-houses and Stables, and a good Lot and Garden to said House. Also a large well built Store-house, two Stories high, adjoining the Dwelling-house. Likewise a large Bake-house two Stories high, built of Stone and Lime, with two Ovens, and Rooms for holding Bread and Ship Stuff, with a Cooper's Shop under the same Roof, all compleatly finished, and in good Order, standing opposite to the abovesaid Mills, on the other Side the Street. One other Dwelling-house, two Stories high, with a large Lot for a Garden, fronting King-street, and running back to Queen street, in Trenton. Also my Ferry, known by the Name of Trenton Ferry, with a Patent for the same, and all the Boats, &c. for carrying on the Business; and for further Encouragement to the Buyer, 200 Acres of Land will be sold, one Third of which is cleared, with a pretty good Orchard, and all in Fence, the other Part

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thereof Woodland; the Buildings are large and in good Order, with Barn, Stable, Store-house, &c. Also my home Plantation, containing 300 Acres of Land, with a large well built Brick-house, two Stories high, and two handsome Fronts, with Court-yards done in the best Manner, and a genteel Garden, well-fenced, a Barn, Chaise-house, and all other useful Buildings to the Accommodation of the same; the said Lands being about one Third cleared, and in good Fence, with Meadows, and Grass Land to accommodate the same, an Orchard of about 400 Apple-trees, of the best Fruit, and a good Collection of almost every other Kind of Fruit. One other House and Lot, of about seven Acres of Land, with a good Garden, all in good Board Fence. One other House and Lot, containing 22 Acres, with a good Garden and Board Fence, the greatest Part of said Lot may be made good Meadow, lying opposite the aforesaid Mills, fronting the Street by the Bridge. Likewise 36 Acres, lying about three Miles from Trenton, being all Woodland, well timbered. And several Lots, laid out by a Plan regularly made and surveyed, in my new Town of Kingsberry, opposite Trenton, bounding on the River Delaware, which by said Plan and Draft will more at large appear, not exceeding 30 Miles from Philadelphia, in West New-Jersey.[1] There needs no Recommendation of the Advantages every Part thereof has for Trade, and the Pleasantness of the Situation. It affords many Diversions, such as Fishing, Fowling, Hunting and other agreeable Exercises, as it lies in the Heart of a fine Country, and at the Head of the Tide or Navigation, on the River Delaware, and commands a full View of the last Fall in said River. Any Person inclin-

1 This property was conveyed to Robert Lettis Hooper, of Trenton, gentlemen, by deed dated January 31, 1753, from the Honble. Colonel George Thomas, of the Island of Antigua, and wife Elizabeth; Thomas derived the same from William Morris and Anthony Morris, of Philadelphia. The mills were previously known as Trent's Mills. For another advertisement of part of this property see N. J. Archives, XX., 365-7.

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ing to purchase the whole Estate, on paying One Third of the Purchase Money down, may have any reasonable Time for Payment of the Remainder, giving good Security, and paying Interest.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1882, *January* 17, 1765.

Capt. Avery's schooner from North-Carolina, drove out of our Bay without any person on board, was boarded off Cape May and carried into Turtle Gutt.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1154, *January* 17, 1765.

To be SOLD *or* LET *for a term of Years,*

A Convenient brew house and malt house, with all the necessary utensils; also a good dwelling house; with four rooms on a floor, conveniently situated, for carrying on the brewing business in Trenton, enquire of

WILLIAM LISTER.

—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1155, *January* 24, 1765.

RUN away from the Subscriber, living in Kingwood, Hunterdon County, West Jersey, on the 14th of January instant, an Apprentice Lad, named George Richard, but calls himself sometimes George Gillespy; he is about 15 Years of Age, 4 Feet 7 Inches high, of a fair Complexion, has short dark brown Hair, and a lively Look: Had on, when he went away, a half worn Felt Hat, a new Coat of home made Cloth of Ash Colour, with small round Cuffs, and black Horn Buttons, an old patched Linsey under Jacket, with Pewter Buttons, coarse Flaxen Shirt, Leather Breeches, new blue Stockings, old Shoes, tied with Latchets. He is a German, but speaks tolerable good English. Whoever brings said Apprentice to his Master or secures him in any Goal, so that he may have him

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again, shall have Forty Shillings Reward, and reasonable Charges paid by JACOB FOX.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1883, *January* 24, 1765.

Came to the Plantation of James Little, in Hopewell Township, Cumberland County, some Time ago, a brown or red Steer, about a Year old. The Owner proving his Property, and paying Charges, may have him again.

TO BE SOLD,

A Grist-Mill and Saw-mill, about 6 or 7 Miles from Trenton Landing, on the same Creek with Trenton Mills; they have the Advantage of being the upper Mills on that Stream, have Plenty of Water in the driest Season, and are in a Neighbourhood abounding with Oak, Bilstead and Maple timber; so that the Saw-mill may be generally kept going by the Timber brought to saw on Halves. For Terms enquire of Wilson Hunt, in Maidenhead, about two Miles from the Premises, or Abraham Hunt, at Trenton. Half or two Thirds of the Purchase Money may remain in the Purchaser's Hands two Years, or perhaps longer, on paying Interest yearly.

TO BE SOLD,

A Plantation, with about 200 Acres of Land, 50 whereof is cleared, 15 Acres of good Meadow, and the Remainder well timbered; there is a good Dwelling-house and Orchard, a Barn and other Out-houses thereon, also a Grist-Mill, with one Pair of Stones, and a Fulling-Mill, with Press-shop, Dye-house, Tenter-bars, and all other Tools and Utensils necessary for carrying on the Fulling Business; situate on the main Branch of Great Timber Creek, in the County of Gloucester, in the Western Division of the Province of New-Jersey, in a good

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Part of the Country for Trade, being within a Mile of navigable Water on said Creek, and 8 Miles from the Town of Gloucester; it is an old accustomed Place for Business, both in the Grinding and Fulling Way, and the Stream has never been known to fail in the driest Seasons. The Title is good, and the Terms may be known by applying to the Subscriber, on the Premises.

SAMUEL BLACKWOOD.

On looking into the New-York Gazette of December 3, 1764, I find the following Paragraph; "On Thursday, the 20th Instant, a Half-mile Race was run on Staten-Island for 300 l. between Mr. Water's Horse True Britain, and a Gelding belonging to Mr. Corell of New-Jersey, which was won by three Lengths by the former." And as the Facts are misrepresented, I beg the following State of them may be published, the Truth of which I can prove by a Number of Persons of established good Reputation. The True Britain, and my Valiant, (a Stallion, not a Gelding) ran on Staten-Island the 20th of last November, for a Wager of 120 l. which the True Britain won, and Mr. Waters received of Colonel Seyman, in whose Hands I staked that Sum, but the Distance he beat him was much short of three Lengths. After the Race was run, in a Conversation between myself, Mr. Benjamin Waters, and Mr. Nathaniel Herd, I said, "Valiant had lost his Race by an Accident." In a few Minutes after the Wager was paid, Mr. Anthony Waters challenged me to run again that Week, for the same Sum, or double the Sum, which I accepted, agreeable to his Challenge; and we agreed to meet next Morning, at Mr. Vanderbelt's, to view a Piece of Ground, which he thought would suit his Horse, better than that on which the Horses had run, and to stake the Money.

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He did not appear till after 12 o'Clock, and then refused to run because (he said) "The Horse belonged to him but in Part," and "that he would not disoblige his Friends, he would rather forfeit 100 l." and offered to pay me the Damage, which I refused, and press'd him earnestly to stake the Money and run; I told him he had not made that Objection to the first Race, and that I thought he would not have made it to the second, but that he was convinced the Valiant could beat the Britain. And now, to convince the Public, that I do think the Valiant can beat the Britain, I hereby offer to run the Race Mr. Waters challenged me to, at any Time he dare, allowing me any reasonable Time to fit my Horse for it. The above-mentioned VALIANT is about 15 Hands high, a strong made, and a beautifully proportioned Horse; a remarkably good dark bay, and is full Blood. He will cover Mares the ensuing Season, at my House at Coryell's Ferry, in Buck County, at Three Pounds the Season, and Half-a-Crown to the Groom. . . . . I have good Pasture, and Mares sent to me will be properly taken Care of, at Two Shillings and Six-pence per Week.

JOHN CORYELL

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1884, *January* 31, 1765.

TO BE SOLD,

At the London Coffee-house, by way of publick vendue, on Friday the 12th day of February next at 6 o'clock in the evening;

ONE fourteenth share of the New Brunswick COPPER MINE; which now yields excellent solid oar, and is so circumstanced, that the purchaser will be at no charges in carrying it on, and that it may be worked to the very best

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advantage, the gentlemen already concerned, have agreed with a person to build a smelting house.[1]

Any person inclining to purchase before the day of publick sale, by applying to Willliam Bradford at the London Coffee-house may know the terms.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1156, *January* 31, 1765.

New-York, January 31. On Monday last a pedlar attempted to cross the North River from New-York to Poulas Hook on the ice, and is supposed to be drown'd, as we hear his hat and budget have been found, and he has not since been heard of.—*New York Gazette or Weekly Post Boy, January* 31, 1765.

WHEREAS by Virtue of a Writ of Fieri Facias, to me directed, issued out of the County Court of Middlesex County, against the Goods and Chattels, Lands and Tenements of Richard Clawson, at the suit of Samuel Rue. I have taken and seized a certain Tract of Land, containing about 240 Acres, lying and being near Cranberry, in the South Ward of Amboy, of, and belonging to the said Richard Clawson. Now these are to give Notice, that the said Tract of Land, taken as aforesaid, will be exposed to Sale at public Vendue, on Thursday the 21st Day of this Inst. February, at the House of Peter Covenhaven, Tavern Keeper. The said Vendue to begin at twelve o'Clock in the forenoon of the same Day, at which Time and Place, the Terms and Conditions of Sale will be declared and made known,

By me JAMES BROOKS, Sheriff.

Perth-Amboy, Dec. 19, 1764.

THIS is to give Notice, that the Vendue and Sale of the Plantation, Tract of Land and Premises, where-

[1] This same share was advertised in 1761. See N. J. Archives, XX, 626; also 382, 400.

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on Samuel Nevill, Esq, deceas'd, lived; situate in the City of Perth-Amboy, which was this Day to have been made, by Virtue of certain Writs of Execution, issuing out of the Supreme Court of this Province; is adjourned until Wednesday the twentieth Day of this inst. February: The said Plantation contains about 160 Acres of Land, the whole very good; several Acres whereof is fresh Meadow, and some salt Meadow, some Wood Land, two Dwelling-Houses, one of which is new, but not fully furnished: The place is very Pleasant, well watered, and has an extraordinary Spring near the House; a considerable Front upon the River Rariton; and is very convenient for a Gentleman, Merchant, or Farmer.

JAMES BROOKS, Sheriff.

Perth-Amboy, January 26, 1765.

This Day is PUBLISHED,
An Account of the
COLLEGE of NEW-JERSEY.

In which are described the Methods of Government, Modes of Instruction, Manners and Expences of living in the same, &c.

With a Prospect of the COLLEGE neatly engraved.

Published, by Order of the TRUSTEES, for the Information of the Public; particularly of the Friends and Benefactors of the Institution, in Europe and America.[1]

Sold by GARRET NOEL,

Bookseller, next Door to the Merchant's Coffee-House.

—*The New York Gazette or Weekly Post Boy, February 7, 1765.*

Made his Escape from Trenton Goal, in Hunterdon County, Province of West New-Jersey, a Man committed for running away from Israel Lariam, in Salem County,

[1] The above is the exact title of this little pamphlet of 47 pages. It was printed at Woodbridge, New Jersey, by James Parker, 1764.

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named John Coleman, about 18 Years of Age, freckled Face, has red Hair, about 5 Feet 6 Inches high; had on a lightish coloured Coat, with large Metal Buttons to the Breast and Skirts, good Leather Breeches, a half worn Castor Hat, a red Jacket of Coating Cloth, double breasted, with yellow carved Buttons, a Check Shirt, and had others, a Pair of grey wove Stockings, good Pumps, with Silver Buckles. Whoever takes up the said John Coleman, and brings him to the Subscriber hereof, or secures him in any of his Majesty's Goals, so that he may be had again, shall have Thirty Shillings Reward, paid by

GEORGE BROWN, Goaler.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1885, *February* 7, 1765.

To Cover MARES the ensuing Season, at Mr. ROBERT RHEA'S, near Monmouth Court-house, in Freehold, East New-Jersey, at Three Pounds Jersey Proclamation Money for each Mare;

A Black Horse, called FREDERICK, imported last Year from England. He is six Years old, is full 15 Hands high, and is perhaps the most complete made Horse in America. He was got by a Son of Hobgoblin's, out of Lord Godolphin's Golden Lock Mare. His Dam was the famous Firetail Mare, belonging to Mr. William Croffts, of Suffolk. Good Pasture for Mares, and proper Care taken of them, at One Shilling and Sixpence per Week.

To be sold, by Way of public Vendue, on the first Day of March next, on the Premises, that noted and valuable Ferry, known by the Name of the New Ferry, on Rancokas Creek, situate in Chester Township, Burlington County, West Jersey, on the new Road leading from Cooper's Ferries to Burlington; together with 207 Acres of Land thereunto belonging, 10 Acres whereof is good

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drained Meadow, about 50 or 60 Acres of cleared Land, the Remainder Wood Land, Part of which is well timbered, whereon is a Dwelling-house and Barn, a Well of good Water near the Door; the Scows and other Utensils necessary will be sold with the Premises. The Purchaser paying 500 Pounds down, may have reasonable Time allowed for the Remainder, with paying lawful Interest for the same. SAMUEL STOKES, and JOHN LIPPINCOTT, Executors.

N. B. The said Premises will be sold between the Hours of 2 and 6 of said Day.

To be sold by the Subscriber, the following Tracts of Land, viz. 140 Acres, situate in Northampton, Burlington County, adjoining Lands of Thomas Cooper, Isaac Hanes, and others, 40 Acres of which being good Timber Swamp that will make good Meadow, with a Run of Water running through it, the Upland well timbered, and but one Mile and a Half from Ancocus Creek, where the Timber may be sent to Philadelphia.

One other Tract containing 150 Acres, adjoining Mountholly in Northampton aforesaid, bounded on Lands of Daniel Doughty, Edward Andrews, John Woolman, Josiah White, and others, and is well timbered, and Meadow may be made.

One other Tract of twelve Acres of good Meadow, well drained, and in good Cedar Fence, about one Mile from the last mentioned Land.

Also 200 Acres of Woodland, lying in the County of Sussex, adjoining Lands of William Henry, the Legatees of Thomas Lambert, and Joseph Sacket. For Terms of Sale, apply to THOMAS PRYN, junior, in Burlington, or Samuel Pryor, in Philadelphia. The Purchaser paying Part of the Purchase Money, may have Time for the Remainder.

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SIX POUNDS Reward

RUN away, on Sunday, the 27th of January last, from the Subscriber, living in Lower Freehold, in the County of Monmouth, a Servant Man, named William Jones, alias Crowly, a middling sized well set Fellow, of a dark Complexion, has short black Hair, a little curled, a small Scar on his Left-cheek, and another across his Nose, is much given to Drink, and is fond of driving a Team; he was seen in Maidenhead the 29th of January, enquiring for Work; had on, when he went away, a good Castor Hat, a green Great Coat, a Tickset Jacket, and a Swan-skin Ditto under it, with black Spots, old Leather Breeches, mixed coloured Yarn Stockings, lately footed, and old Pumps. Whoever takes up and secures said Servant, so that his Master may have him again, shall have the above Reward, paid by

WILLIAM TAYLOR.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1886, *February* 14, 1765.

TO BE SOLD

By the Subscriber:

A Plantation lying in the County of Somerset and Province of East New-Jersey; containing 200 Acres of Land, together with a dwelling-House, Barn, Orchard, a Stone Waggon House, and Granary; 30 Acres of mowing Meadow, and 50 Acres of good Timber Land. The above Farm is well watered, having a good Spring in every Field; and is pleasantly situated, on the great Road that leads from Prince-Town, to Brunswick, joyning the Lands of Capt. William Howard, and within one Mile of the College. Any Person inclining to purchase, may inquire of SAMUEL BRUNSON, living on the Prem-

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ises, who will agree on reasonable Terms, and give a sufficient Title for the same.

Prince-Town, Feb. 11, 1765.

—*The New York Gazette or Weekly Post Boy, February* 14, 1765.

To be Sold,

A Very well improved Plantation, joining the Town of Shrewsbury, containing 170 Acres; 80 of which are by far the best timber'd of any in that Neighbourhood; very handy to the North and South Rivers; each navigable for Boats to the New-York Markets: There is a very commodious large House, Barn, Stable, Crib, out Kitchen, and sundry other Buildings, with the neatest Milk Room in all the Jersey's. Inquire of SIDNEY BREESE on the Premises, or at his House at New York.—*The New York Gazette or Weekly Post Boy, February* 21, 1765.

Monmouth in New Jersey, February 21.

ESCAPED from the Sheriff of Monmouth County in East New-Jersey, about a twelve month ago or upwards, a prisoner named Samuel Edward, a thick well sett man, very large leggs, a taylor by trade, aged about 25 years. Whoever apprehends said prisoner and secures him in any of his Majesty's goals, so that he may be had again, shall receive SIX POUNDS as a reward paid by Mr. Isaac Wickoff, merchant in Philadelphia.

TO BE SOLD *by Publick Vendue,*

On Wednesday the 3d of April next (if not before sold at private sale)

THAT valuable estate in Kingwood, in the county of Hunterdon, New Jersey, late the property of Charles Hoff, Esq; consisting of

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1 The mansion house, an overshot grist mill, barn, stables, milk house, orchard, &c. with 97 and 1-2 acres of land.

2 A new stone house, a grist mill in good order for merchant work, a saw mill, barn, orchard, &c. with 36 acres of land.

3. An old house with 67 and 3-4 acres of land in working order, which may conveniently be joined to lot No. 2.

4. A stone house, fulling mill, dye house, &c. with 15 acres of land.

5 A log house, with an additional room of stone, with 91 and 1-2 acres of land.

6. A forge with two fire places, on a good stream about half a mile from the mills, with convenient houses for the workmen, a good large coal house, and 52 acres of land.

The buildings on the first five lotts are all within the compass of about one quarter of a mile, in a pleasant healthy situation, about 30 miles distant from Trenton, and the same from Brunswick, in the midst of a fine wheat country, and is an exceeding good place for trade.

Time will be given for good part of the purchase money, agreeable to conditions to be published at the day of sale, and the purchaser may have possession immediately.

Any person inclining to become a purchaser may treat with Andrew Reed in Trenton, or Charles Pettit in Philadelphia.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1159, *February* 21, 1765.

To be Sold,

A Compleat small Farm, lying in the Center of the Town of Shrewsbury, New-Jersey, containing 56 Acres of very good Land and Meadow, with a good Dwelling-house, Gardens, an Orchard of excellent Fruit, Stables

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and other Out-houses, all in good Repair, and in compleat Order for a Tavern, it being the Place where the most noted One in Shrewsbury, hath been kept for many Years, and in a proper Place for a Store, Tradesman, or any other public Business. Also a Tract of Woodland, containing 100 Acres, lying a small Distance from the above; to be sold together, or separate. Likewise another Lot, lying a few Chains distant from the first mentioned House, containing 9 Acres of very good Land and Meadow, with a good House, Garden, Orchard &c. all in good Repair. All, or any Part of the above, may be entered upon by the First of April next. The Title indisputable. For further Particulars, enquire of the Subscriber, on the first mentioned Premises, who will agree on very reasonable Terms.

JOSIAH HALSTEAD.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1887, *February* 21, 1765.

To be sold by Way of public Vendue, on Thursday, the 21st Day of March next, at the Dwelling-house of the Subscriber, in Waterford, Gloucester County, 250 Acres of Land (Part and Parcel of the said Subscriber's Plantation and Tract of Land, whereon he now lives), and fronts on Cooper's Creek, lying about four Miles and a Half from the City of Philadelphia, on which is a Dwelling-house, Kitchen, Barn and Stables, with other Conveniences; also a good bearing Orchard, 25 Acres of good mowable Meadow, and more lying adjacent, which with little Cost may be made good Meadow. There is a valuable Quarry of good Stone for Building. The unimproved Part of said Land is well timbered. The Title to the whole is indisputable.

At the Time and Place aforesaid will likewise be exposed to Sale, Horses, Cows, one Pair of good working

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Cattle, an Ox Cart, Housiold Goods, Husbandry Utensils, and many other Things, too tedious to insert. The Conditions of Sale will be made known at the Time and Place aforesaid, when and where proper Attendance will be given, by

CHARLES DAY.

To be sold by public Vendue, by the Executors of Thomas Overend, deceased, on Monday, the 11th of March, at two o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the House of Benjamin David, in Crosswicks, Burlington County, a House and Lot of Ground, containing one Quarter of an Acre, more or less, with a good Stone-house, Chaise-house, Stable, and other Conveniences, now in the Tenure of David Clark, who has three Years and a Half of a Lease on the Premises to come; it is pleasantly situated for a Country Store or Tradesman, as it lies on the public Road, near the Friends Meeting-house. The Title is indisputable. Attendance will be given at the Time of Sale, by JOHN GOODWIN, and JOHN PALMER, Executors.

To be sold by the Subscriber, living in Bordentown, on the 20th Day of March next, at public Sale, if not sold before by private Sale, a Plantation, or Tract of Land, containing about 230 Acres, with a good Dwelling-house, two Stories high, four Rooms on a Floor, and a good Cellar; a good Barn, Waggon-house and other convenient Out-houses; Plenty of Orcharding, both of Apple and other Fruit Trees; about 100 Acres of said Land (being great Part Swamp) is well timbered, and excellent for Ship-building, being chiefly White-oak; said Swamp will make good Meadow, if properly cultivated, as the Soil is good; on one Side of said Place runs a Creek, on which lies upwards of 40 Acres of Marsh, 20 Acres of which is lately cleared and banked, and will undoubtedly

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make excellent Meadow. The whole Place is in good Repair, and lies within Half a Mile of Bordentown, healthy and pleasantly situated; but it is needless to tell a thousand fine Things, for if any Gentleman inclines to buy, he will chuse to look before he purchases, and so of Course he will see all the good Properties belonging to the same. The Terms shall be easy, and a good Title given, by

JOHN EDWARDS.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1888, *February* 28, 1765.

AS the greatest Part of the New-Britain Purchasers died in a short Time after making said Purchase, and the Lands therein contained fell to Orphan Children, for which Reason no Improvements were made on said Lands, for many Years after said Purchase, which Delay gave the Proprietors of New-Jersey Encouragement to re-survey, and sell the said Lands to other People; and whereas by Reason of the Proprietors of the said New-Britain Purchase, having delayed prosecuting the People, now living on said Lands, they now refuse to deliver the Possession thereof. All the Proprietors of the said New-Britain Purchase, are therefore desired to meet at the House of John Stout in New-York, on the Twelfth Day of April next, of which they are intreated not to fail, in order to form themselves into a Body, to consult about Measures for dispossessing the People so settled on our Land as aforesaid.[1]

Feb. 15, 1765.

Perth-Amboy, Feb. 10, 1765.

To be sold, at public Vendue, on Tuesday the 26th Day of March 1765, and entered upon the First of May;

[1] For some account of the Indian deed for New Britain, and the patent given therefor by Peter Sonmans, see N. J. Historical Society's Proceedings, 2d Series, XIII., 140-142.

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THE House and Lot that Peter M'Lean now lives in; the House has 32 Feet Front, 18 or 20 Feet wide; it is two Stories high, it contains four Rooms, with Fire Places, besides Closets and Garrets; most pleasantly situated in Smith-Street, in the City of Perth-Amboy; the Lot is 36 Feet Front, and Rear, 165 Feet long; in the Yard is an excellent Well, a Tan-Yard, with a run of Water through the same; a very good Garden, all in good Fence. It would suit a Gentleman, Merchant, or Tradesman, particularly a Shoemaker, or Tanner, who may fall into the best Business in New-Jersey. The vendue is to begin at 10 of the Clock, at the said House, the Title indisputable; a good Deed will be given by me,

PETER M'LEAN.

TO BE SOLD

On Wednesday the third Day of next April, by Auction, or public Vendue.

THE late Dwelling-house of Capt. HENRY ARNOLD, deceased; situate in the Town of Shrewsbury, New-Jersey, within half a Mile of the Church, Presbyterian, Quaker Meeting, and Market House in the said Town, (or at any Time before at private Sale) with 24 Acres of very good Land on which said House stands, well watered, there being a good new Barn, young thrifty Orchard and large Garden on said Tract, all inclosed with a lawful new Fence; with 10 Acres of good fresh Meadow, about three Quarters of a Mile from said House; and 10 Acres of Wood Land, about two Miles distant: By the Executors of the said Capt. Arnold, being his Widow Mrs. Sarah Arnold, now residing on the Premises, and Mr. James Sacket, in New-York, by whom a good Title in Fee Simple, to any Purchaser, will be given. The said Tract is within two Miles of several Landings and Grist-

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mills. There will also be exposed to Sale on the said Day, and at the said House, a Waggon, new pleasure Sled, new Cider-mill and Press, Plow and several other Farmer's Utensils, Horses, Cows, Hogs, &c. with a fine Negro Boy and Negro Girl, aged about 12 or 14 Years each.

Shrewsbury, Feb. 12, 1765.

—*The New York Gazette or Weekly Post Boy, February* 28, 1765.

NEW-YORK, *February* 21.

Extract of a letter from Joseph Yeamans, late master of the sloop St. George.

Norfolk in Virginia, Feb. 2, 1765.

"On Saturday January the 12th about noon, set sail from New York, bound for Maryland, with a smart gale of wind at N. W., which obliged me to sail under a reifed mainsail and jib. The wind increased with a very large sea, till about 6 o'clock, 3 leagues S. S. E. from Sandy Hook, when a double deck'd snow called the Gordon, about 250 tons burden, John Pym, Master, belonging to New-York, ran foul of me, whereby the sloop's topping-lift, shrouds, and main boom were carried away, 12 feet of her waiste, with the timbers, wale, &c. stove in, and also one side of the long-boat; the sloop being by this shock disabled from proceeding on her voyage; to save our lives we all quitted her and got on board the snow, whose cutwater and sheathing were also much damaged: two of my men had their fingers frozen. Night coming on, at my request Capt. Pym agreed to lie to till morning, to try if any thing might be saved from the sloop, but there was no appearance of her, and we have reason to think she went to the bottom. We all arrived here in 18 days passage."

Norfolk, (in Virginia) Feb. 2. The schooner Sally,

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Woolsey Burton, master, who sailed from Amboy on the 25th December last, bound to Indian river, was by hard gales of north, and westwardly winds, blown off to the latitude of 37, distance to eastward 45 leagues, and lost his mainmast.

After being out 30 days, having expended all their provisions, except about two bushels of pease, and having nothing to drink for 3 weeks, except their own water, and a little they caught from rain, they were taken up by a schooner belonging to Piscataway, from Barbados, Thomas May, master, bound to this port, who has brought them in with him, but in a very weak and low condition.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1160, *February* 28, 1765.

Just published, and to be sold by W. BRADFORD,

AN

ACCOUNT

OF THE

COLLEGE

OF

NEW-JERSEY.

In which are described the methods of government, modes of instruction, manner and expences of living in the same, &c. With a prospect of the College neatly engraved. Published, by order of the TRUSTEES, for the information of the public; particularly of the friends and benefactors of the institution, in *Europe* and *America*.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1161, *March* 7, 1765.

To be sold, at publick Vendue, on the Premises, the Tenth Day of April next, at twelve o'Clock, by the Subscriber.

A Good new Grist-Mill, with two Pair of Stones, two Water Wheels, with Bolting-Clothes, going by

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Water; and suitable either for a Merchant, or Country Work; a never failing Stream of Water, with a large commodious House for storing of Wheat, in a good Wheat Country; situate on Beare-Brook, in the Township of Windsor, and County of Middlesex, and Province of New-Jersey, about four Miles from Prince-Town, lying convenient either for Philadelphia or New-York Market, with a new Dwelling-House, and other convenient Buildings thereunto belonging, with a good Saw-Mill adjoining the Grist-Mill, where may be had plenty of Timber, by MEHLON WRIGHT.

Perth-Amboy, March 7, 1765.

To be sold at Public Vendue, on Tuesday the 9th Day of April next, on the Premises:

THE House formerly belonging to MATTHEW ISELSTINE, late of the City of Perth-Amboy, deceased; standing upon the Corner of High-Street, in Water-street; there is a good Garden adjoining, with a good Stable, Store-House, and other Conveniences, all very near the River, with a good Dock, and is suitable for a Tavern-keeper, Shop-keeper, or private Gentleman, a Tavern having been kept there for some Years. Any Person inclining to purchase the said House, &c. before the Day of Sale, may agree with the Subscriber, living on the Premises, by whom an indisputable Title will be given.

SAMUEL ISELSTINE.

N. B. The Vendue to begin at Ten o'Clock in the Morning.

Valuable LANDS to be SOLD.

On Monday the 25th Day of March, Instant, will be exposed to sale at public Vendue, by the Subscriber, on the Premises:

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TWO very valuable and commodious FARMS, lying at Prince-Town, in the county of Somerset, containing each, about 260 acres, whereon is a considerable quantity of meadow ground, and wood land, and several springs and streams of water. These two FARMS are divided by the road laid out directly opposite to the college, and leading to Rocky-hill; and are very pleasantly situated.

At the same time will be sold at public Vendue,

A parcel of fine NEGRO SLAVES, CATTLE, HORSES, and SHEEP. An Indisputable title for the real estate, will be made to the purchaser, by

THOMAS LEONARD.

Prince-Town, March the 5th, 1765.[1]

—*The New York Gazette or Weekly Post Boy, March 7, 1765.*

Burlington County, February 7, 1765.

WAS committed to this Goal, a certain Man, on Suspicion of being a Runaway, who calls himself William M'Bride, he is an Irishman, a Weaver by Trade, of a fresh Complexion, long black Hair, his Cloathing long blue Nap Trowsers, a red straight bodied Coat, with round Pewter Buttons, and white Irish Cloth Jacket; he says he bought the Coat in Philadelphia, and he came from Kent County in August last. If he has a Master, he is desired to come, pay Charges, and take him away, otherwise he will be sold out for the same, in two Weeks from the Date hereof.

EPHRAIM PHILLIPS, Goaler.

To be LETT or SOLD

A Genteel and commodious two Story Brick House, pleasantly situated in Trenton, on the Road leading to

[1] Subsequently postponed to April 23, on account of the weather.

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Pennington, with four Rooms on a Floor, well finished, and Cellar under the whole, a Well and Stable, with 12 Acres of Land, 4 or 5 of which capable of being made good Meadow, on which is a good young Orchard, and a constant Stream of Water running through the same. Any Person inclining to rent or purchase the same, may know the Terms, by applying to the Subscriber, living on the Premises.

ELIZABETH MULLEN.

Several of the Inhabitants of Greenwich Township, Gloucester County, propose to present a Petition before the House of Representatives, at the next Sessions, for the Building a Drawbridge over Raccoon Creek, near its Mouth. If any Persons have Objections against it, they are desired to appear before the House, in order to set forth their Reasons for such Objections.

CONSTANTINE WILKINS

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1889, *March* 7, 1765.

RUN away from the Subscriber, of Cohansey-bridge, in Cumberland County, West New-Jersey, a Frenchman, named Peter Lavote, a Shoemaker by Trade, talks broken English, about five Feet nine Inches high; had on a light coloured tight bodied Coat, and Breeches of the same, has short black Hair, cocked-up Hat, walks very strait, of a pretty bold Countenance; he took with him a bay Mare, Saddle and Bridle, the Mare has a bald Face, two wall Eyes, and her hind Feet white. Whoever takes up and secures said Man, with the Mare, Saddle and Bridle, so that the Owner may have them again, shall have Forty Shillings Reward, paid by

PETER SOULLARD.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1889, *March* 7, 1765.

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Philadelphia, March 8, 1765.

MR. HALL,

If you think the following worth a Place in your Paper, the Public are heartily welcome to my Endeavours to promote the Knowledge of it by a Publication.

TRAVELLING the other Day, in Company with a reputable Farmer, he happened accidentally to inform me, that he has at Times been subject to that excruciating Disorder the Gravel, and was particularly afflicted with it some time ago, when upon a long Journey from his Home: Fortunately for him, in the Course of his Progress, he met with a certain Gentleman, whom he believes to be a Doctor, who, upon knowing his Case, acquainted him, that he had heard of a Remedy which had been very beneficial to some, and he doubted not would do him Service. . . . . Take, says he, the Saw-dust proceeding from good mellow Pine, boil it in clear Spring Water, let it settle, and then strain it off; drink freely of this, and you will soon find Relief. . . . . The Person, glad to alleviate his Misery, tried the Experiment, and in ten Hours after found it gave him Ease: He used the Drink three or four Days, and declares his Pain quite left him, and that since that Time he has scarce felt any thing of his said Disorder.

I confess the Remedy seems simple; but as I doubt not the Truth of what the Gentleman has asserted, I hope the Freedom I take on this Occasion may be excused. . . . What confirms me in the Belief of its Efficacy is, the reputed Virtues of Turpentine, the Uses of which, according to *Chambers*, "are innumerable," and is particularly "famous for clearing the urinary Passages, and as such, is prescribed for Obstructions in the Reins," &c. . . . . Now, as this Substance is the well known Product of the Pine, it seems to me reasonable to think, that the Pine Dust must contain of the oily Nature, and that therefore,

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it may have the good Effect above mentioned. If, upon Trial, it should prove as beneficial to any others, as it has done to the Person who gave me the Intelligence, my End in giving you this Trouble will be fully answered. Who am

Your Friend and Customer
CIVIS

N. B. As they saw Abundance of Pine in the Jerseys, the Dust may be had in great Plenty; three Quarts is a suitable Proportion to a Gallon of Water, and may be sweetened, to make it palatable.

To be sold by public Vendue, in Hopewell, New Jersey, within two Miles of Pennington, on Thursday the 11th of April next, a Grist-mill, with two Pair of Stones, 75 Acres of Land thereunto belonging, a good Dwelling-house on the Premises, a Stone Weaver's Shop, and a good Barn, 12 Acres of Meadow, a good Orchard, with 80 Apple Trees, and 60 Peach Trees. One Half of the Purchase Money to be paid down, 100 Pounds within one Year after, and the Remainder within one Year after that. A good and sufficient Title will be made, by DANIEL LAMBERT, and JOSEPH LAMBERT, Executors.

RUN away last May, from the Subscriber, living in Gloucester County, West Jersey, a Servant Man, named Joseph Stennard, about 37 Years of Age, a short, well set Fellow, with a round Face, and brown Hair. Whoever secures him in any Goal in West-Jersey, shall have Three Pounds Reward, paid by

JOHN GOSLING.

N. B. He was in Philadelphia last December, and it is said he went in a Vessel belonging to Capt. Cunningham, but to what Place, I have not yet learnt.

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To be Sold,

A Good Plantation in Cranbury, in Middlesex County, and Province of New-Jersey, containing 250 Acres of Land; on it is a House, Barn, a good Well at the Door, and an Orchard of 350 Apple Trees, that will make 60 or 70 Barrels of Cyder in a bearing Year. Any Person inclining to purchase, must apply to John Gordon, living on the Premises, by whom a good Title will be given.

March 11, 1765.

To Be Sold,

A Commodious Plantation, within Half a Mile of Princetown, and 200 Yards of the Post Road, being pleasantly situated, containing 115 Acres of good Land, whereof is upwards of 20 Acres of excellent Meadow, and more may be made, and 20 Acres of Woodland, and the rest fit for the Plow; the whole being in good Repair, and well watered; there are on the Premises a good Frame House, with three Rooms on a Floor, with a large Stone Kitchen adjoining, a Well of Water at the Door, a Milk-house, with a Spring in it, a new large Barn, covered with Cedar, a large Garden paled in, a young Apple Orchard of sundry Fruit; if it should suit, the Purchaser may have 200 Acres or more adjoining. Any One that inclines to purchase the same, may apply to the Subscriber, living on the Premises, who will give an indisputable Title for the same.

George Norris.

N. B. The Subscriber has to sell a Negroe Man and his Wife, both used to Farming.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1890, *March* 14, 1765.

To be Sold by Way of Public Vendue,

At the late Dwelling-House of Garret Schanck, in Lower Freehold, in the County of Monmouth & Province of New-Jersey, near the New English Church:

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The Plantation whereon the said Garret Schanck, deceas'd, did formerly live; containing about two hundred and twenty Acres of Land. Said Land lies very convenient for a Farmer, it being within about three miles from one or two Grist Mills and about six or seven Miles from Middletown Point, or Landing: The Conditions will be made known at the Sale, and Attendance will be given by us

PETER SCHANCK,
AURT SUTPHIN,
AND
JOHN VAN DER VEER } Executors

Freehold, March 1st.

—*The New York Gazette or Weekly Post Boy, March* 14, 1765.

To be Sold at public Vendue, on Tuesday the 16th Day of April next, on the Premises,

A Plantation containing One Hundred Acres, lying in the Town and County of Morris, in the Province of New-Jersey, whereon is a good Dwelling-House and Barn, with a large Cyder House, Cyder Mill, and a good Still; together with a large Peach Orchard, containing about Two Thousand Trees; three good Apple Orchards, one of which is grafted Fruit, containing about Two Hundred and Fifty Trees: Thirty Acres of said Plantation is good Wood-Land, and some Meadow and Plow-Land, all well watered and in good Fence. If the Purchaser should want more Land, the Subscriber has Fifty Acres of good Land adjoining, which he will dispose of. The Conditions will be made known at the Time and Place of Sale, when an indisputable Title will be given by me

DANIEL TICHENOR

N. B. The Vendue to begin at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon.

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To be Sold at Publick Vendue,
On Tuesday the 30th Day of April next, on the Premises;

A Tract of Land lying at the fresh Ponds, in the Corporation of New-Brunswick, in the County of Middlesex, and Province of New-Jersey; now in Possession, & the property of James Johnston, containing about 457 Acres. This Place lies but 7 Miles from New-Brunswick, and 5 from South River Landing; to both which there is a very good Road; is improved by a Dwelling-house, Orchard and new Barn, and about 150 Acres of clear'd Land: A considerable Quantity of Meadow may be made thereon; is very well watered and timber'd, with a great Quantity of Hickory and Oak Wood, fit for New-York Market; it lies convenient to be divided into two Farms. Time will be given for the Payment of the Money, and the Conditions made known on the Day of Sale.

February 28, 1765.

To Be Sold,
By Abner Hamton,
On the Premises.

A Good Dwelling-house, Grist Mill and Saw Mill; with about 32 Acres of Land, situate on the Road from Perth-Amboy and New-Brunswick, to Baskinridge, Black River, &c. 7 Miles from Rariton Landing. The House hath five Fine Rooms, a Cellar and Shop for dry Goods, three Bed Rooms, and other Conveniences; is in a good Place to vend Goods, collect Lumber, Grain, Pork and other Produce; or for a Tradesman: The Grist Mill is suitable for either Country or Merchant's Work, in a good Wheat Country, the Saw Mill was built last Year, and has much Timber near by, the Stream in greatest Droughts and extreme Colds, supplies with Water to do considerable Business, and in flush Times would support another Mill: Three Fourths of the Land will make good

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Meadow, the greatest Part of which has been mowed, the rest is Wood Land: there is on it between 2 and 3 hundred Apple Trees, and a good Spring by the Door, a Cooper's Shop, Stable, &c. If it suits any to purchase the House, with 10 or 12 Acres of Land it may be divided, and a Shop of dry Goods might be had at wholesale Rate.

Perth-Amboy, 18th of March, 1765.

BY Virtue of two Writs of Fieri Facias to me directed, issued out of the County Court of Middlesex, against the Goods and Chattels, Lands and Tenements of Henry Longfield, at the Suit of Henry Dow Trip, and John Schuuarman, I have taken and seized a Tract of excellent good Land, situate near New-Brunswick, adjoining Rariton River, containing about six hundred Acres, about one hundred and fifty Acres of which is good Meadow, the Upland is extraordinary good for producing Wheat, Part of it is fine Wood-Land, it is a beautiful Seat for a Gentleman or Farmer; there is on said Premises a large Stone-House and Kitchen, and a large Barn, good Orchard and Garden. Now these are to give Notice, that I shall expose the said Tract of Land to Sale at public Vendue on the Premises, on Friday the twenty fourth Day of May next, between the Hours of Twelve and Five in the Afternoon, at which Time and time and place the conditions will be made known by me,

JAMES BROOKS, Sheriff

Perth-Amboy.

TO be sold at Public Vendue, on Wednesday the 10th Day of April next, at 12 o'Clock, a large new Brick House, two Stories high, 4 Rooms on a Floor, the upper Floor and Garret not finished, with the Lot of Land belonging to it; containing about 7 Acres, on which there is a fine young Orchard of 100 grafted Apple Trees, a

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large Garden containing a Variety of good Fruit Trees, a good Well, and an old Barn: It is situated on the highest and pleasantest Part of the Town, and if the Purchaser wants any Out-Lots, he may be accommodated with one or two not a Mile from the Town. Bonds, with good Security, will be taken for the Payments: If not then sold, it will be rented. Enquire of

JOHN BARBERIE
JOHN JOHNSTON
STEPHEN SKINNER.

Perth-Amboy, February 4, 1765.

BY virtue of several writs of fieri facias to me directed, issued out of the county of Middlesex, at the suit of Charles Williams, Thomas Jones, Esqrs. and others, against the goods & chattels, lands and tenements, which were of John Denniston, deceased, at the time of his death; I have seized two certain lots of land, one of which contains about 90 acres of good land, about 20 acres of which is cleared, the remainder is wood land, and situate near George's road; the other lot contains 200 acres of good land, adjoining George's road, hath a house on it, the whole lying about six miles from New-Brunswick: NOW THESE ARE TO GIVE NOTICE. That I shall expose the said lots of land to sale at publick vendue, on the premises, on Thursday the 4th day of April next, between the hours of 12 and 5 in the afternoon, at which time and place the conditions will be made known by me,

JAMES BROOKS, Sheriff.

On Tuesday the 23d Day of April next, will be exposed to Sale at PUBLIC VENDUE,

THE Dwelling-house and Lot of Ground of about 5 or 6 Acres, belonging to the Estate of David W.

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Provoost,[1] late of Hackensack, deceas'd; being a large genteel and well built House, having six Rooms well finished, five Fire-places, and a large Kitchen adjoining thereto, with a good Barn and several Out-houses; a

[1] David W. Provoost was a descendant of David Provoost, who came from Holland to New Amsterdam before April 28, 1639. In that year he was granted a lot of land in Pearl street, near Fulton, where he resided for some time. In April, 1642, he was placed in charge of Fort Good Hope, at Hartford, Conn., to resist the aggressions of the English, where he remained until June, 1647, when he returned to New Amsterdam, and taught school for a time. He died in January, 1656. His wife was Grietje Gillis, daughter of Gillis Jansen Verbrugge and Barbara Schut. She was still living July 29, 1701. They had nine children, the second, David, born in Connecticut, and baptized Sept. 31 (sic), 1645. In partnership with Johannis Van Inburgh, of Hackensack, surgeon, David Provoost, of New York City, bought of Peter Johnson, of Hackensack, by deed dated April 7, 1698, half of a tract of 500 acres of land on Hochas brook, where it joins Saddle River—being at or near Paramus or Hohokus, Bergen county. This property appears to have remained in the family many years. David Provoost married July 29, 1668, Tryntje Laurens, from Amsterdam. They had eleven children, among them:

William Provoost, baptized Oct. 8, 1679; married Nov. 20, 1700, Aefje Van Exveen, baptized Dec. 19, 1683, daughter of Gerrit Corneliszen Van Echtsveen and Wyntje Stoutenburg. William Provoost was Assistant Alderman from the North Ward of New York City, 1708-9, 1709-10. He was already identified with New Jersey, probably occupying the paternal acres near Paramus or Hohokus. He was a witness at the baptism of children of Paramus families in the Hackensack Reformed Dutch Church in 1705, 1710 and 1714. In 1722 he was elected a member of the Assembly from Bergen County. He appears to have been prominent in that body until 1725, serving frequently on Committees to wait on the Council. In 1725 he is referred to as "Col." Provoost. In the mean time he was recommended by Gov. Burnet, June 17, 1722, as "an eminent merchant" of New York city, for a seat in the Provincial Council of New York, and was appointed by the King, in July, 1723, serving until August, 1732. By deed dated Dec. 3, 1725, Jurya Westervelt, of Bergen county, and wife Cornelia, conveyed to William Provoost, of New York City, merchant, a tract of four and a quarter acres on the west side of the Hackensack river, in the precinct of New Barbadoes, between John Wright, Gerrit Van Dien and the highway, for £68, New Jersey money. Here he took up his abode, and in 1726 his family were living there. He joined the Hackensack Dutch Church on confession of faith, July 13, 1727, being styled "Col. W. Provoost." His wife was probably dead before this. In 1728 he was appointed one of the N. Y. Commissioners to try pirates. It would seem that he took up his residence permanently at Hackensack about that time or shortly after. On May 6, 1734, he was sworn in as a member of the Provincial Council of New Jersey, in which he continued until 1740. On Dec. 1, 1739, he was appointed one of the Common Pleas Judges of Bergen County, and Colonel of the Bergen County militia, Dec. 4, 1739. For some reason Provoost attended no meetings of the Council after the last mentioned date. That body met on Dec. 29, 1739, and began a new session on March 26, 1740, at Perth Amboy. They sent a letter to Provoost, "in a pressing manner requiring his Attendance and afterwards they sent for him by the Serjeant at Arms attending the Council, which Serjeant at Arms reported that Mr. Provoost had promised him to Set out from his House in order to attend ye Council on Monday the Ninteenth day of May last [1740], since which they have not heard anything from the said William Provoost." Thus they reported to the Governor on June 9, 1740, and gave it as their advice that the delinquent Councillor should be suspended, which was done July 7, 1740. Gov. Lewis Morris wrote to the Lords of Trade that it was not from any prejudice to him that Provoost did not attend, nor was it to gratify any resentment of his that the Councillor was suspended, he being indeed a good friend of the Governor. The will of William Provoost, of New Barbadoes, Bergen county, dated April 22, 1745, was proved August 26, 1746. He left issue:

1. Wyntje, baptized April 27, 1701; d. s. p.

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good Pump near at Hand, with the best of Water; all conveniently situated for a Gentleman's Country Seat, or for carrying on Merchandizing, or any other Sort of

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ii. David, baptized Nov. 8, 1702. (See below.)
iii. Catharine, baptized Oct. 8, 1704; married Gerard Beekman, "merchant of the City of New York."
iv. Maria, baptized July 21, 1706; married May 22, 1726, Rev. Reinhart Erichzon, minister of the Reformed Dutch Churches of Hackensack, Schraalenburgh and Paramus, 1725-1728; Schenectady, N. Y., 1728-1736, and later of Freehold and Middletown, N. J. Issue: 1. Anna, baptized at Schenectady, July 13, 1729; 2. William, baptized 1737; 3. David, b. 1740.
v. Cornelia, baptized Oct. 20, 1711; she joined the Hackensack Church June 17, 1729, upon confession of faith. She married Perregrin Van Imburgh (who joined the church the same day she did), probably after Nov. 18, 1733, when she was a witness at the baptism of Maria Pettet. Issue: 1. Eefjin, baptized January 39, 1737; 2. Catrina, baptized Nov. 5, 1738. She is not mentioned in her father's will, and probably died before it was made.
vi. Wyntje, baptized May 13, 1722; died young.
vii. Anneke, baptized March 11, 1724; joined the Hackensack church Feb. 7, 1743, upon confession of faith. She was living at Hackensack in 1746, with her brother David.

David Provoost, frequently called David W. or David William Provoost, baptized Nov. 8, 1702. He joined the Hackensack church, Dec. 8, 1726, on confession of faith. He married 1st, Feb. 8, 1729, Anneke, daughter of Evert and Catharine (Provoost) Vandewater. They joined the Hackensack church Feb. 19, 1733, on certificate from the New York church. He married 2d, Oct. 14, 1741, Geertruyt Reinder, (Rynders), widow of Nicholas Gouverneur and daughter of Barent Reinders and Hester, daughter of Jacob and Elsje (Tymens) Lester. She joined the Hackensack church, Nov. 26, 1741, by letter from the New York church. He advertises land for sale at Hackensack and in New York, in 1746 and 1750, being himself then of Hackensack.—*N. J. Archives*, XII., 287, 620. He was probably a merchant, near the Hackensack church, living on the tract bought by his father in 1725. He was appointed one of the Justices of the Quorum of Bergen county, Dec. 1, 1739. By proclamation of April 18, 1740, Gov. Lewis Morris urged the enlistment of patriotic Jerseymen to join in an expedition in behalf of His British Majesty against the Spanish West Indies, and appointed David Provoost, of Bergen county, as one of the persons to enlist volunteers for this service. He died at Hackensack early in 1765, leaving a will dated Feb. 21, 1760, proved March 15, 1765. He describes himself as of New Barbadoes, Bergen county. He names wife Geertruyd, and children—William, David Rynders, Catharine and Affie, all under age, who with his wife are his heirs and executors of "all my estate whatsoever." Witnesses—Abraham Westervelt, Nicasie Kip and Sarah Gutridge. Issue:

By his first wife:

i. Wilhelmus, bap. March 4, 1730; d. in inf.
ii. Willem, bap. Nov. 10, 1731; m. May 31, 1758, Elisabet Van Wyck. He and his wife were living in the bounds of the Hackensack church in 1777.
iii. David, bap. Nov. 18, 1733; d. in inf.
iv. Catharina, bap. July 20, 1735. In the jurat to her father's will, March 15, 1765, she is named Catharine Leydack.
v. Samuel, bap. July 9, 1738; m. Henne Eerl (Earle). He was perhaps the Samuel Provoost who in August, 1765, took the benefit of the insolvency act. Children: 1. David, bap. Dec. 7, 1760; 2. Wellem, bap. Sept. 31, 1764; 3. Willem, bap. Oct. 19, 1766.
vi. Effie. She was received into the Schraalenburgh church on confession of her faith, April 5, 1759; she was still living and unm. in 1765. Efye Provoost (prob. the same) and Abraham Lefferts had a child, Jenneke, b. Aug. 15, 1771, bap. in this church.

By his second wife:

vii. David Rynders, bap. between July 7 and Aug. 11, 1745.

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Trade or Business, said House (fronting the Main Road, and also another Road from said Main Road, leading to the back Country through Parramus) having a good Bolt House and very convenient Dock on the Main River, where is good fishing and fowling; also a good large Garden, with good fruit Trees, and a spot of very fine mowing Land, which commonly yields about 15 or 18 Loads of good English Hay yearly, the Title indisputable: Also to be sold, a Timber Lot lying about a Mile Distant from the aforesaid House, containing about 25 Acres, more or less. At the same Time will be sold, Negroes, Horses, and Waggon, Sleighs, and several other Goods.

All Persons indebted to the said Estate, are required to discharge the same forthwith, to the Executors that are authorized to receive the same, to enable them to settle the said Estate as soon as possible. Any Person inclined to view the Premises or any Part thereof, may apply to the Executors, or any one of them, who will inform them of the Title and Conditions of Sale.

Geertruyd Provoost, the Widow.

William Provoost, David R. Provoost, } the Sons.

Catharine Provoost Effe Provoost. } the Daughters.

New Barbadoes, March 18, 1765.

—*The New York Gazette or Weekly Post Boy, March* 21, 1765.

A List of Letters remaining in the Post-Office at PRINCETON.

A

James Armstrong, Esq; at or near Hopewell. Richard Alison, Hopewell.

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B.

Aaron Burnet, Morris Town. William Bunn, near Pennington.

C.

Moses Campbell, Maidenhead.

D

Constantine Dougherty, Hopewell.

F

Samuel Fitch, Amwell.

H

Major Ralph Hart,[1] Hopewell. Thomas Haill, Amwell.

L

Thomas Leonard, (5) Princeton. Samuel Light, near Princeton.

M

John Mc. Cray, (2) Princeton. Jacob Matison, Amwell.

N

Robert Nimons, (2) Princeton.

O

Samuel Orall, (2) Princeton.

R

Mary Rowland, near Princeton.

S

Robert Stockton, (4) and Mr. Stockton, Tavern-keeper, near Princeton. Thomas Stevenson, Hunterdon. Daniel Stout, Joseph Stout, and Richard Stout, in Somerset. Capt. Jonathan Stout, Kingston. Waters Smith, Maidenhead.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1163, *March* 21, 1765.

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[1]Son of Ralph Hart, whose father, John, removed about 1704 or 1705 from Newtown, L. I., to Hopewell. Ralph Hart, 1st, left a will, proved August 22, 1749.

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On Saturday the 16th of April, 1765, will be sold by vendue, and may be then entered on;

A Settlement on Delaware river, called Lamberton, about half a mile below the ferry near Trenton; whereon there was last year erected a frame dwelling house, of three rooms on a floor, sashed and plaistered, with a cellar under the whole, an oven, a cooper's shop, having a stone cellar under it, a smoak-house, and large enclosed sheds, a framed barrack, with a lintoe[1] for horses, and another for carriages, a garden well fenced and paled in, and supplied with fruit trees &c. also two stone buildings under the bank, the one a boiling house, well contrived for ease and expedition in working; the other a cellar for curing sturgeon and herring, together with the kettles and every utensils sufficient and proper to carry on the business, all in order to go immediately to work; likewise sundry household goods. This improvement stands on about 2 and 1-2 acres of very good land, fenced in with cedar, on which there is a lease of about 19 years to come, subject to a ground rent of three pounds per annum, which may be purchased off. There is at this place the conveniences of good water, a pleasant and healthy situation, and great plenty of fish, also a pond made for preserving the fish alive. The settlement lays in New-Jersey, and is extremely convenient for carrying on trade, and the boating business, as the out-buildings would afford storage for goods, and it is between the two greatest landings on Delaware river, for country produce from Hunterdon and East-Jersey, and has a public road to it. There are several small dwelling-houses, and a store-house erected on a lott about forty rods below this, adjoining on Delaware, subject to a ground rent, of three pounds a year forever, convenient for labourers, which will at the same time be

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sold at private sale. The fishery usually begins here about the 5th of May, so that a purchaser may be prepared to begin his work with the season, and he may have time for his payments, on good security.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1163, *March* 21, 1765.

To be Sold by Public Vendue.

A Very good two story brick dwelling-house, and lot of ground, in the city of Burlington, being pleasantly situate at the corner near the Town wharff, having a prospect of the river Delaware, extending 37 feet 6 inches on High street, and 43 feet 6 inches by River street; it has a large commodious kitchen adjoining besides four convenient rooms below, and upper rooms answerable, with a good yard and piazza, paved with brick and stone. Also a lot of ground for a garden, about 50 yards distant, across High-street, extending from River street to Pearl street, 150 feet in length, and 36 feet in width, having an 8 feet alley on one side. Likewise a piece of cedar swamp, lying on the west side of Wading river, at a place called the Broad Place, containing 11 acres of young thrifty timber. And a tract of land, situate in the Township of Bethlehem, in Hunterdon county on the North side of Musconercung river, containing 100 acres all well timbered. One half the purchase money will be expected at executing the deeds respectively, and six months credit will be given for the remainder, giving security, if required. Any person inclining to purchase, may view the premises, and depend on having a sure title made, by

JOHN SCATTERGOOD.

N. B. The sales will begin at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, on Sixth day, the 5th of Fourth Month (April) next, at the said dwelling-house. At which time and place will be also sold by Rebecca Scattergood (the present tenant) a variety of good household furniture, with a com-

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pass and surveying instruments; said Rebecca Scattergood intends shortly to remove to Philadelphia, and as she has a great number of conveyances, deeds and other papers of consequence, belonging to others, in her hands, she desires all persons, having a right to the same, to come and take their respective properties.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1163, *March* 21, 1765.

To be Sold

A Likely Negroe Man, this Country born, about 25 Years of Age, understands all Sorts of Plantation Work, and is a good Miller; also a Negroe Wench, this Country born, about 15 Years of Age, and understands all Kinds of House-work, is sold for no Fault, but for Want of Employ. For further Particulars enquire of Cornelius Polhamus, living in Hopewell, West New-Jersey

We are requested to give this publick Notice, that the Schooner Sally (Woolsey Burton, late Master, bound to Indian River from Amboy, who, with his Hands, were taken up by a Schooner, Thomas May, Master, and carried into Virginia, as mentioned in Number 1888 of this Paper) [also in No. 1160 of Penna. Journal] was left 45 Leagues off the Capes of Virginia, her Sails, Anchors and Cables, being taken on board said Schooner; she is a Pink-sterned Vessel, of about 26 Tons Burden, with her Boom raised for a Jury Mast, having lost her Mainmast.

To be sold by Way of public Vendue, on Tuesday, the 2d of April next, by the Subscriber, in the Township of Hopewell, three Miles above Pennington, a Number of valuable Horses, several remarkable fine breeding Mares, English Colts of different Ages, also Colts of the common Breed, Milch Cows, and young Cattle, Sheep, Hogs, three

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Waggons, two of which are suitable for hauling heavy Loads, all Kinds of Farming Utensils, and some Houshold Furniture. The Conditions of said Vendue to be made known at the above Day, and the Vendue to begin at 10 o'Clock in the Morning, where Attendance will be given by

ELIJAH HUNT.

SIMON HUFTY, Jersey Post Rider,

HAVING rid from Philadelphia to Union Iron-works for twelve Months past, hereby informs his Employers, that he declines riding any longer; and desires those indebted to him for Carriage of News-papers or otherwise, to leave their Arrears at the several Stages where their Papers are left, in one Month from the Date hereof, or he will be obliged to take such Measures as may be disagreeable to them.

Philadelphia, March 21, 1765.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1891, *March* 21, 1765.

CAME to the Plantation of John Hinkson, of Hopewell Township, about the 10th of January last, a black Horse, branded something like A M on the near Shoulder and Buttock, seems to be a natural Trotter. The Owner is desired to come and prove his Property, pay Charges, and take him away.

JOHN HINKSON

STOLEN last Night, out of the Stable of the Subscriber, living in Evesham, Burlington County, West-Jersey, a dark brown Horse, 5 Years old this Spring, about 14 Hands one Inch high, no Shoes on, paces, trots and hand gallops, but is the most natural to his pace; hath a small Star under his Fore-top, has lately been trimmed about

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his Ears, Throat, Legs and Tail, but extream badly done, which makes him very remarkable, the Hair much rubbed off the near Side of his Neck; he is a high couraged Horse, middling low in Flesh. Whoever takes up and secures the said Horse and Thief, so that the Thief may be brought to Justice, and the Horse had again, shall have Five Pounds Reward, and all reasonable Charges, or Forty Shillings for the Horse only, paid by

March 15, 1765 JAMES BURDEN.

N. B. Also was stolen the same Night, near the same Place, a short blue Great Coat, with Horn Buttons, and a Beaver Hat, about half worn, supposed to be stole by the same Person.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1891, *March* 21, 1765.

To be sold by the subscriber at public vendue, on the 11th day of April next, at the house of Lambert Barnes, inn-holder in the city of Burlington, the following described lots of land, in the city aforesaid, viz. two lots, each 50 feet front on High-street, and extending the same width back 609 Feet, to Wood-street, containing each near three quarters of an acre, lying between a lot of land of Thomas Powell, and a lot of land belonging to the heirs of William Coate. Also one other lot of 36 feet front, on said High-street, and extending back the same width, to Wood-street aforesaid, lying between the lots of Thomas Powell and Richard Smith, Esq; with an old brick dwelling-house thereon erected. Also one other lot fronting said Wood-street, near 86 feet, and extends back 380 feet, to said Powell's lots; all which lots of land are situated on a public part of said city; a plan of which may be seen at the house of Lambert Barnes aforesaid. The title to said lots are indisputable. The vendue to begin at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, and attendance given by

ELIAS HUGHES

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The owners of that neck of marsh, lying between Crosswick's creek and Delaware river, are desired to take notice, that a petition from sundry of the said owners, was presented to the assembly at their last sitting at Amboy, praying a law to constitute Crosswick's creek a good and lawful fence from Watson's ferry to the mouth of the same; and that the said petitioners have leave to bring in a bill at the next sitting of assembly at Burlington, agreeable to the prayer of their petition, provided notice of their application is given in the Pennsylvania gazette, at least six weeks before said sitting, and no reasonable objection appearing.

PHILADELPHIA, March 28.

☞ SIMON HUFTY, the Jersey Rider, having left off riding, the Gentlemen that used to have their News-Papers carried by him, are requested to give the Printers Notice, whether they design to employ another Man, by which they will know whether to continue printing their Papers or not.

*** The Vendue of MR. HOFF'S Estate in Kingwood, will be held on the Premises the Third of April.

A SMALL red Cedar Boat, about 12 Feet Keel, with the Letters I H cut on her Stern, was left last Fall in the Care of Mr. George Johnston by a Stranger, who told him he came from Philadelphia, and should return again, and take Charge of his Boat, within 3 Weeks; but as he is not yet returned, it is suspected the said Boat was stole. Mr. Johnston has lately put her into the Hands of the Subscriber, living about four Miles below the Falls of Trenton, who will deliver her to the Owner upon Application, he first proving his Property, and paying incidental Charges. JOSEPH KIRKBRIDE.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1892, *March* 28, 1765.

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To be Sold at publick Vendue.

On Wednesday the tenth Day of April next, on the Premises; or at private sale any Time before.

A Pleasant situated Farm, lying at Elizabeth Town Rahway, adjoining on the North Side of the Country Road, between the two Branches of Rahway River, near to Rahway Meeting House; the said Farm contains about 130 Acres, and will be sold together or in two Parcels; as will suit the Purchasers. Also, a Parcel of Land near Rahway Meeting House, containing about 20 Acres, lying on the South Side of the Country Road, and on the West Side of a new Road from the back Country to the Landing, conveniently situated for Shop-keepers, Tradesmen and a Tavern; the same will be sold together or in several Lots as will suit the Purchasers. Also, a Piece of mowing Ground adjoining the Country Road, and Robinson's Branch. The Conditions of Sale will be published at the Vendue, and good Title will be given by

JOHN MARSHALL

Elizabeth Town Rahway, March 19, 1765.

To be sold at publick Vendue,

On Monday the 22d Day of April, and to be enter'd upon the first day of May next,

A Very valuable Plantation containing 210 Acres, lying in Kingwood, a very flourishing Part of Hunterton County, in West New-Jersey, 25 Miles from Trenton and 40 from Philadelphia. There are upon it 100 Acres of plow Land, and 15 of Meadow clear'd and in good Repair; and 25 or 30 Acres more of good Meadow may be made: The Land is good for Grain and English Pasture, and has on it the following Improvements, Viz. A new Stone House 2 Stories high, with two good Chimneys, and an extraordinary good Cellar. A good framed

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House with two good Fire Places. A good Kitchen with an Oven in it; a good Grainery, and a Cellar under it; a good framed Barn 36 by 24 Feet, a thriving Orchard of 100 Trees, many of which are Grafts, and both very Fruitful: A good Spring of Water rises about 5 or 6 Rods from the Door. The whole Buildings are every Way convenient for any publick Business, and are on a very publick Road, about one Mile and a Half from a Landing, and an excellent Fishery on the River Delaware, very convenient for sending Produce and bringing Goods from Philadelphia by Water.

At the same Time will be SOLD,

Twenty-five Acres of Wheat and Rie on the Ground, a Team of good Horses, Cows and young Cattle, Sheep and Hogs, an Iron bound Waggon, Plow, Harrow, and all farming Utensils, with sundry Shop and Houshold Goods, too tedious to mention. The Vendue to begin at 10 o'Clock, on the Premises, where due Attendance will be given, and an indisputable Title made to the Purchasers by

MALAKIAH BONHAM

All Persons indebted to me, are desired to make immediate Payment, or they will be proceeded against according to Law.

This is to inform the PUBLICK
That a Stage will be performed from POWLES'S HOOK to PHILADELPHIA,
In the following Manner, (to wit.)

MR. John Mersereau's Waggon sets off from Powles's Hook, every Wednesday and Saturday Mornings, between 7 and 8 o'Clock; is met at the Blazing Star at 12, on the same Days, by Mr. William Richards's Waggon, which proceeds immediately to New-Brunswick: From Brunswick Mr. John Downey's Waggon proceeds

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to Trenton, on every Monday and Thursday Mornings, between 7 and 8 o'Clock: From Trenton Mr. John Barnwell's Waggon proceeds to Philadelphia, on every Tuesday and Friday. The Waggon sets off from Philadelphia on every Monday and Thursday, for Trenton; from Trenton to Brunswick on every Tuesday and Friday; from Brunswick to the New Blazing Star, and from thence to Powles's Hook on every Wednesday and Saturday: So the conveyance of Passengers and Goods will be performed from New-York to Philadelphia, and from Philadelphia to New-York in three Days at farthest. All Persons that are pleased to encourage this necessary Undertaking, may depend on civil Treatment, a faithful Performance of the several Stages, and good Accommodations at all the Taverns they put up at.

JOHN MERSEREAU,
WILLIAM RICHARDS,
JOHN DOWNEY,
JOHN BARNWELL.

Six Pounds Reward,

ON Tuesday the fifth Day of this Inst. March, a Gentleman (as he pretended to be) came to the House of the Subscriber, in Princetown, and hired a Horse to ride from thence to New-Brunswick, promising to ride him no further; a Servant followed him, in the Stage to fetch the Horse back; the Gentleman aforesaid, contrary to his Engagement, rode the Horse to Powles'-Hook, and the Servant followed him. After the Servant had got so far from home, it is supposed that the Temptation was too great, for he has never yet returned; He is named James Oge, alias Sunderland, aged about 22 Years, five Feet five Inches high, wore his own red Hair, (which perhaps he may cut off) he is remarkable by having black Eyes; he took with him a Pair of Leather Breeches, a

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blue strait Coat, and a red great Coat, a half worn Beaver Hat, and some Money; so that it is likely he will change his Dress. The Horse is about 14 Years old, of a roan Colour, about 14 Hands and 1-2 Inches high, branded W F upon the near Thigh. Whoever takes up said Servant and Horse, so that the Owner may have them again, shall have the above Reward, and reasonable Charges, or four Pounds for the Man and forty Shillings for the Horse.

THOMAS LEONARD

—*The New York Gazette or Weekly Post Boy, March* 28, 1765.

To be SOLD,

A Very valuable Tract of Land, containing about 500 Acres, situate in the County of Middlesex, in the Province of New-Jersey; about 10 or 12 Miles from Freehold, upon the Road that leads from thence to Cranbury, and Prince-Town; there is on said Place near 300 Acres clear'd, and in good Fence; about 200 Acres remarkably fine Timber, and the cleared Land the best in all the Country, for Wheat or Grass; and as it has been for many years kept chiefly to grazing, would without doubt, turn out great Crops of Wheat; and may be conveniently divided, into two or three good Farms. Any Person inclining to purchase, may be shewn the Premises, by Mr. Benjamin Davis, near them, & may inquire for farther Particulars of Lewis Morris Ashfield, Attorney at Law, in Shrewsbury.

—*New York Gazette or Weekly Post Boy, April* 4. 1765.

Perth Amboy, April 1, 1765.

To be sold at public Vendue, on Wednesday the 10th

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Day of April inst. at Twelve o'Clock, a large new Brick-house, two Stories high, four Rooms on a Floor, the upper Story and Garret not finished, situate on the richest and most pleasant Spot in the Town, with the Lot of Land belonging to it, containing about seven Acres, on which there is a fine young Orchard of 100 grafted Apple Trees, of the best Fruit; a large Garden, containing a Variety of good Fruit Trees; a good Well in the Yard, and a large Barn. If the Purchaser inclines, he may be accommodated with one or two Out-Lots, distant about a Mile from the Town. Bonds, with good Security, will be taken for the Payments. If not then sold, it will be rented. For further Particulars, Enquire of JOHN BARBARIE, JOHN JOHNSTON, or STEPHEN SKINNER.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1893, *April* 4, 1765.

By Virtue of his Majesty's Writ of Fieri Facias, will be exposed to Sale, on the 11th Day of June next, being the 1st Day of the next Gloucester County Court, at the House of Mr. Hugg, in Gloucester, between the Hours of 12 and 5 in the Afternoon, the Lot, and Tenement, known by the Name of Lilliput, containing about two Acres, situate on the Bank of the River, and Half a Mile from Gloucester Town, commanding a full Prospect of the City. There are several Asparagus Beds, and valuable Fruit Trees, on the Place; taken in Execution at the suit of James Benezet, and to be sold by

ROBERT FRIEND PRICE, Sheriff.

SEVERAL of the Inhabitants of Greenwich Township, Gloucester County, propose to present a Petition before the House of Representatives, at the next Sessions, for the Building a Drawbridge over Raccoon Creek, near its Mouth. If any Persons have Objections against it, they

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are desired to appear before the House, in order to set forth their Reasons for such Objections.

CONSTANTINE WILKINS.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1894, *April* 11, 1765.

London, Feb. 7. It is confidently said, no pains will be spared this sessions to represent in a proper light the ill consequences resulting from a farther permission to distil rum in the provinces of New York, New-England, and the Jersey's, made from the produce of the French islands, in which the North-Americans are known to drive a large trade, to the great loss of the British West-India planter.

To be Let,

THE Mills and Houses at the Landing on Rariton River, which formerly belonged to Joseph French. Inquire of Joseph Reade in New-York.—*The New York Gazette or Weekly Post Boy, April* 11, 1765.

To be SOLD or LETT,

A Large house lott and stables, pleasantly situated in the city of Perth Amboy, with a good garden well stored with the choicest collection of fruit trees, and compleatly loaded for the ensuing season. The person inclining to purchase or hire the said house and lott, may be accommodated with seven acres of extream good mowing ground. For further particulars enquire of Thomas Lawrence, Esq; in Philadelphia, or David Johnston living on the premises.

Custom-House, Philadelphia, Entered In. Schooner Nancy, J. Folly, from Amboy.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1166, *April* 11, 1765.

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The Horse SWAN,

To COVER this season, at John Budds, at Salem West New Jersey, at a pistole the season.

HE is a black horse fifteen hands and one inch high, one white foot, a snip on his nose, and a small star in his forehead; got by a full blooded horse on a very fast pacing mare; he has been learnt to pace and goes as fast as any horse on the continent, trots and gallops very light, and runs fast, he is as handsome a horse as any in America.

Salem, West Jersey, April 18.

BY virtue of several Writs to me directed will be exposed to sale on Tuesday the fourth day of June next; several tracts of land, viz. the plantation on which John Kidd, in Manington, now lives: also the plantation on which Samuel Peat now lives, at the head of Alloway's creek: also a tract of 74 acres, and another of 17 acres, in Penn's Neck, late the property of Michael Katts; also 100 acres of land in Penns Neck, late the property of Martin Katts: also two tracts of land containing seventy four and an half acres, late the property of Benjamin Abbot, one tract being the plantation on which said Abbot now lives; taken in execution, and to be sold by me

JOHN BUDD, Sheriff.

—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1167, *April* 18, 1765.

STOLEN, the 11th inst. at Night, from Benjamin Field, of Chesterfield Township, Burlington County, West Jersey, a dark brown Horse, five Years old this Spring, a natural Pacer, shod before, travels well, his near hind Foot white, a short switch Tail, with a Snip down his Face, and the Hair rubbed off his Sides with the Stirrup Leathers. Whoever secures the said Horse, so that the

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Owner may have him again, shall have Five Pounds Reward, paid by

BENJAMIN FIELD.

To be sold at public Vendue, on Wednesday, the First Day of May next, at Two o'Clock in the Afternoon, on the Premises, one Eighth Part of the Copper Mine at Rocky Hill, in Somerset County, New-Jersey, together with the Appurtenances thereto belonging, being Part of the Estate of Richard Saltar, Esq; deceased. The Terms will be made known at the Day of Sale, by JOSEPH AND JOHN SALTAR, Executors.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Inhabitants of the County of Hunterdon, in the Province of West New-Jersey, intend to apply to the next Meeting of the Assembly at Burlington, for a Removal of the Court-House [to a point] more central, or a Division of said County. All Persons interested therein, are desired to take Notice thereof.

BROKE out of Salem Goal the First of this instant April, 4 Men, viz. Robert Night, a tall, well made likely Fellow, 25 Years of Age, and had on a light blue Jacket, a Flannel under Jacket, and wears his Hair, which is hardly long enough to tie. Michael Calte, about 25 Years of Age, a Dutchman, or speaks like one, a thick short Fellow, and wears his Hair; had on a Thickset Coat, Sailor's Trowsers, a great Coat, and old Hat. John Statham, a little drunken fancy Fellow, wears his Hair, and is shaved pretty far back on his Head, his Clothes ragged. Thomas Darch, an Irishman, a full faced, lusty, pert ragged Fellow, has been a Soldier, and taken up on Suspicion of being a Runaway. Whoever takes up said Prisoners, and secures them in any Goal, or brings them to Salem, shall

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have Ten Pounds Reward, and reasonable Charges, or Three Pounds a Piece for the three first mentioned, paid by

JOHN BUDD Sheriff

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1895, *April* 18, 1765.

To be sold or Let.

FOUR Lots of Land at Cranbury, in the County of Middlesex; one Lot containing about 6 Acres, whereon is a good Dwelling-House, with three Fire-places, a good Kitchen and Merchant's Shop, a good Barn and Smoke-House, a large pail'd Garden and Orchard: One other Lot, containing 15 Acres, whereon is three Houses, Stable, two gardens, and some good Meadow, and has been a noted Tavern some years: One other Lot containing 16 Acres, whereon is a good Dwelling-House and Stable, and most of it fit for Meadow: One other Lot containing 26 Acres, about half cleared, and about 5 Acres of it good English Meadow, and the rest good Timber Land, where more good Meadow may be made. Whoever inclines to Purchase or Rent all or either of said Lots, may apply to JOHN TOMSON, living on the first mentioned Lot, and may have Possession the first of May next, or sooner if they think fit. Good Part of the Purchase-Money can be waited for some Time.

1 April.

—*The New York Gazette or Weekly Post Boy, April* 18, 1765.

TO BE SOLD OR LET,

A Large house, lot and stables, pleasantly situated in the city of Perth-Amboy, with a good garden well stored with the choicest collection of fruit trees, and completely seeded for the ensuing season. The person inclin-

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ing to purchase or hire the said house and lot, may be accommodated with seven acres of extreme good mowing ground. For further particulars enquire of Mr. James Thompson, Merchant in New-York, or David Johnston living on the premises.—*The New York Gazette or Weekly Post Boy, April* 25, 1765.

Trenton Mills, April 22.

TO BE SOLD *at* Publick Vendue,

On Wednesday the 5th day of June next, on the premises, to the highest bidder,

THE Mills commonly called Trenton Mills, with twenty-two acres of land, all cleared and in good fence; one half of which may be made good meadow: there is on the land a good frame house, with two rooms on one floor, and a large linto, with a new cooper's shop, and a large garden well boarded in; the whole tenement is well situated, and lies very convenient to the mills. The mill house is large and convenient, containing three pair of stones, and a fulling mill with all the water wheels under the same roof; and the whole mill so well and judiciously contrived, as to admit of four boulting reels and two large skreens for cleaning wheat. The whole of the works has lately been repaired (with the dam) in the best manner, with iron rounds, new water wheels, shafts, &c. and all the works go by water. The retailing business of this mill is very considerable, and it is situated on the great road, but one half mile from Trenton landing being the head of the navigation on Delaware river, to which place all travellers and teams must pass by the mill door, and with proper management the situation will command the custom and trade of Trenton. If the persons inclining to purchase at the day of sale, should chuse to have more land, and to be better accommodated with houses, they may be suited with one large new stone dwelling house,

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two stories high, four rooms on a floor, with a good kitchen, and handsome garden; also a large stone bake-house, two stories high, with two ovens and a large cooper's shop under the same roof, and a good conveniency for stowing bread and meal; and also one large wooden store-house and dwelling house for a fuller with a shop, dye-house, and all utensils necessary for a fuller. The purchaser paying one half of the purchase money down, may have any reasonable time for payment of the remainder with interest. Any person wanting further information, may apply to the subscriber, at his house near Trenton, who will shew the premisses,

Robert Lettis Hooper.

STOLEN from the subscriber, living at Senemensen, in the county of Burlington on the 19th day of this instant, a silver watch, with a china face, a plaited string, seal key; The person who stole the said watch calls himself John Hamilton, and is an Irishman, about 25 years of age, about five feet 7 inches high, light coloured hair, grey eyes, had on a cloath coloured fly coat with a cape and no pockets, a jacket, buckskin breeches, white yarn stockings, half worn shoes, white shirt, an old beaver hatt, he is acquainted in several places in the county of Burlington, Gloucester, Salem, and has followed the business of lifting some time. Whoever takes up and secures the said thief so that he may be brought to justice shall have FIFTY SHILLINGS reward, paid by

WILLIAM COPPOCK.

—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1168, *April* 25, 1765.

TO BE SOLD,

A Valuable Tract of Land, on Schooley's Mountain, in Morris County, and Province of New-Jersey, on the main

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Road leading from the Minnisinks to the Town of Morris, opposite to a Tavern kept by Ephraim Drake, containing between 3 and 400 Acres, well accommodated with Meadow, several cleared Fields, within good Fence, and sundry Improvements. Any Person inclining to purchase the same, may apply to JAMES KINSEY, of the City of Burlington, and know the Terms.

RUN away from the Subscriber, in Mountholly, on the 9th Instant, Dennis M'Entire, aged about 22 Years, about five Feet three Inches high; had on when he went away, a blue Cloth Coat, his other Clothing unknown; he is a fat, big headed talkative Fellow, much freckled, and one Tooth out before. Whoever takes up and secures said M'Entire in any Goal; and gives Information to John West, at the Old Ferry-house, shall have Three Pounds Reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by

AARON BARTON, Constable

This is to inform the public, that a Stage will be performed from Powles's Hook, opposite New York, to Philadelphia, in the following manner, viz. Mr. John Mersereau's waggon sets off from Powles's Hook every Wednesday and Saturday mornings, is met at the New Blazing Star, at twelve o'clock on the same day, by Mr. William Richards's waggon, which proceeds immediately to New Brunswick; from Brunswick Mr. John Downey's waggon proceeds to Trenton, on every Monday and Thursday mornings; and from Trenton Mr. John Barnhill's waggon proceeds to Philadelphia, on every Tuesday and Friday. The waggon sets off from Philadelphia on every Monday and Thursday for Trenton, from Trenton to Brunswick on every Tuesday and Friday, from Brunswick to the New Blazing Star, and from thence to Powles's Hook, on every Wednesday and Saturday; so the

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conveyance of passengers and goods will be performed from New York to Philadelphia, and from Philadelphia to New-York, in three days at farthest. All persons that are pleased to encourage this necessary undertaking, may depend on civil treatment, a faithful performance of the several stages, and good accommodations at all the taverns they put up at.

JOHN MERSEREAU, JOHN DOWNEY,
WILLIAM RICHARDS, JOHN BARNHILL.

N. B. From the first of May passengers may be conveyed from Philadelphia to New York for Four Shillings per stage, which will be Twelve Shillings to York; and in the winter season Five Shillings per stage, which will be Fifteen Shillings. Goods by the hundred weight Three Shillings and Six-pence per Stage, which will be Ten Shillings and Six-pence to York.

To be sold by way of public vendue, on second-day, the twentieth of May next, on the premises, A plantation, containing 169 acres of land, whereon is a good dwelling-house, two rooms on a floor, a good cellar under the whole, a large kitchen and good well of water near the door, good barn and stables, a good apple orchard of about 200 bearing trees, and sundry other fruit trees, about 60 acres of cleared land, 15 acres whereof good meadow and much more may be made, the remainder well timbered. Also at the same time and place will be sold, in the same manner, about 99 acres of excellent wood-land, thereunto adjoining, whereon is a vast quantity of white-oaks, black-oaks and hickory. The said wood-land will be sold in small lots, and may suit the purchaser of the plantation, or others. The whole lands are situate within the corporation of the city of Burlington, in the county of Burlington, about two miles and an half from

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said city, and the same distance from a good navigable landing on Rancocas Creek. Any person or persons who have a mind to purchase or view the premises, before the day of sale, may apply to John Price, living on the said plantation, or to George Elkinton, at the adjoining plantation, who will shew the lines of the whole, if required. The sales to begin precisely at twelve o'clock on said day, where the conditions will be made known, and attendance given, by

ISAAC ROGERS.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1896, *April* 25, 1765.

The Subscriber having determined to remove from these Parts, desires all whom it may concern to take Notice, that he has deposited all the Bonds, and other Papers, belonging to his Clients, in the Hands of Samuel Allinson, Esq; of the City of Burlington, who is to conduct the Law Business for him, and fully impowered Mr. Burnet Richards, of the City of Philadelphia, Merchant, to transact his other Affairs.

SAMUEL BARD.[1]

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[1] Samuel Bard was a son of Peter Bard, 2d, who was the second son of Peter Bard, 1st, a Huguenot, who came from Montpelier, France about 1700, and settled in Burlington, where he carried on business as a merchant until 1723, and then engaged in buying and selling land, building and operating mills, &c., until his death, in 1734.—*N. J. Archives*, XII., 667, note. Peter Bard, 2d, was a merchant in Philadelphia until 1734; within a few years after that date he removed to Mount Holly, where he was living in 1750. He took up several hundred acres of land in Burlington county, but sold the same in 1764. He died at Mount Holly November 30, 1769. Samuel Bard, his son, was born in 1740, and was admitted to the New Jersey Bar November 3, 1761. In 1765 he removed to Bristol, Penn., where he continued practising, until his death, December 14, 1769. His will, dated Nov. 27, 1768, was proved Dec. 20, 1769, and is recorded in the Secretary of State's office, Trenton, Liber No. 14, p. 135. He appoints his father, Peter Bard, and Zachariah Rossell, executors, and directs them to sell all his land and property, consisting of a brick house at Mount Holly, and a tract of land adjoining the iron works he bought of his father; also all his real estate, and after payment of his debts the remainder to go to his wife Mary, in fee. He probably had no children, as none are mentioned in his will. He was a cousin of Dr. Samuel Bard, one of the most eminent physicians in the eighteenth century, the first President of the College of Physicians and Surgeons, in New York.

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——LETTERS remaining in the Post-Office, Philadelphia Edmond Coleman, (Gloucester); Joseph Ellis (Gloucester)—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1897, *May* 2, 1765.

To be sold at private Sale,

A Plantation containing 150 Acres, lying in the Town and County of Morris, about a quarter of a Mile from Mr. Philips's Mill, and near the Road leading from Elizabeth-Town to Black River; whereon is two good Dwelling-Houses and two Barns, a large Cyder House, Cyder Mill and Still, with four good Apple Orchards, one of which is grafted Fruit, and contains 250 Trees, a good Peach Orchard, containing 2000 Trees. There is a large Quantity of good Meadow, well watered, with about 40 Acres of Wood Land, and the rest good Plow Land. The Subscriber will dispose of it upon reasonable Terms, and the Purchaser may either take the Whole or Part. A good Title will be given for the Land by me

DANIEL TICHENOR.

—*The New York Gazette or Weekly Post Boy, May* 2, 1765.

Hopewell, Hunterdon County, April 29, 1765.

STOLEN out of a Pasture, last Friday Night, a lightish Iron grey Horse, about 14 Hands high, or better, a well set thick chunky Horse, will pace, trot and hand-gallop, but most natural to his Pace, is shod before, has some browner Spots on his hind Parts than before has a Sort of a redish Star in his Forehead, and is 6 Years old this Grass. Whoever takes up said Horse, and brings him to the Owner, shall receive Forty Shillings Reward, and reasonable Charges, and for the Thief Four Pounds, paid by

TIMOTHY BRUSH.

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To be SOLD by
THOMAS GILBERT, Cooper.
At the Corner of Vine and Water streets,

A Very large Assortment of Red Cedar, brought from Cape-May, Virginia, North Carolina, and Pensacola, consisting of very large Wharff, Gate and Street Posts ready drest. Any Person wanting Inch or Half Inch Boards, Scantling for any Purpose, Cellar Door Cheeks, Sills and Steps, Porch Posts, 7 and 10 Feet fencing Posts, either round or sawed, by applying to the said Thomas Gilbert, and giving the Dimensions, shall be served agreeable thereto. Likewise best Jamaica Molasses, picked Fall Mackrel and common Ditto, Lard in Kegs, and 3 Feet Shingles, either drest or undrest, &c

WANTED to be cleared and ditched,

ONE Hundred Acres of Swamp, about 7 Miles from Trenton, in New Jersey; the Timber is all Maple, very sizable, and not large, and without Under-brush. The Bottom is black rich Mould. Any Persons who will undertake, may have it laid out in Lots of 10, 20 or 30 Acres, or as much as they choose to contract for. The Owner will supply Flour for Bread, Pork, Bacon, and Rum on the Spot, at ready Money Price, in Part Pay, if desired. Any Sett of good sober Men, who have a mind to agree for the Whole, or Part, may apply to WILLIAM COXE, at the Corner of Third-street and Walnut-street, or Mr. Moore Furman, next Door to the Mayor's, in Water-street.

To be sold, by public Vendue, on Wednesday, the 12th of June next, at the House of Joseph Hugg, in Gloucester, a valuable Plantation, containing 300 Acres, situate in Greenwich, and County of Gloucester, in the Western Division of the Province of New-Jersey, adjoining to Lands of John Eglinton, Daniel Cozens and Francis Est-

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lake, about 10 Miles from Gloucester, and one from a Landing, and within half a Mile of a Grist-Mill; there are about 30 Acres fit for the Plough, and 12 Acres of excellent Meadow, and more may be made, the Remainder is well timbered, a new Log House and Stable, the cleared Land within good Fence, and the whole finely watered. The Purchaser, on paying one Third of the Money down, may have Time to pay the Remainder, giving Security, and paying Interest. It is subject to a Mortgage of 200 l. which the Mortgagee is willing to let lie a considerable Time, if the Purchaser chooses. Any Person or Persons inclining to purchase the same before the Day of Sale, may know the Terms by applying to William Hodge, or Robert Clark, Merchants in Philadelphia, or to Daniel Bennett, near Mantua Creek Bridge, in Greenwich aforesaid.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1898, *May* 9, 1765.

To be Sold,

A Valuable Forge, situated partly in the County of Sussex, and partly in the County of Hunterdon, in the Province of West New-Jersey, on Musconetcung River, called and known by the Name of Squire's Point Forge; it is about 7 Miles distant from Oxford Furnace, the same from the Union, about 20 from Andover, and the same from Durham Furnace. From said Furnaces may be had a constant supply of Pig-metal, at the easiest Rates, the Roads being very good; said Forge is also about 37 Miles from New-Brunswick, and 40 from Trenton; from whence there is Water Carriage to New-York and Philadelphia, and one with another is as conveniently situated as any in the Province. There will also be sold with said Forge, about 2000 Acres of Woodland, the farthest not more than two Miles and an Half distant from said Forge, most of it well timbered, with two 5 Horse Teams, 4 Yoke of Oxen, lusty and used to the Draught, Wag-

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gons, Carts, Carriages &c. with all the Utensils and Implements for carrying on said Forge; a large Stock of Coal-wood ready cut and corded, and a Stock of Coal in the Coal-house. The Forge House is built of Stone, laid in Lime and Sand, contains two Fineries, a Chasery, and one Hammer, all in good Repair, having been built but a few Years, with a large Head of Water; there also stands on said Stream and Dam, a new Grist and Saw-mill, well finished; it is a constant Stream of Water, having almost, or all Seasons of the Year, a sufficiency for all the Works to go on at one Time. There also is erected on the Premises a new Frame House, with 4 Rooms on a Floor, and a Fire-place in each, an entry through the House, genteelly finished; there is a Cellar, Kitchen and Shop, below in the front, and three Cellars, conveniently partitioned off, back under said House, two large Coal-houses, capable to hold between 4 and 500 Loads of Coals, a Smith's Shop, a great Number of Out-houses to accommodate the Workmen, Tradesmen, &c. all good of their Kind. The Purchaser may enter into Possession of the Premises immediately. Any Person inclining to purchase, may know the Terms of Sale, by applying to Mr. Ebenezer Cowell, living at Samuel Johnson's upper Mills, on Musconetcung River, near the said Premises, or to the Subscribers living in the Township of Amwell, in said County of Hunterdon, who will give an indisputable Title for the same. MARTIN RYERSON, GEORGE READING, DANIEL READING, THOMAS READING.[1]

[1] Marten Ryerson was baptized Oct. 9, 1698, son of Joris (George) Ryerson and Anneken Schonten. They removed from the Walle Bocht (Wallabout), N. Y., about 1719, to Pacquanac, near the present Mountain View, Passaic County. Marten settled at Readington, Hunterdon county, where he was a surveyor—doubtless through the influence of John Reading, one of the Deputy Surveyors of New Jersey, who visited Pacquanac in 1715, and five years later married a sister of Marten Ryerson. The later died in 1790.

The three readings mentioned above were children of John Reading and Marritje Ryerson. George was born 1725; was a member of the Assembly in 1761; died 1792. Daniel was born 1727; married Euphemia, daughter of Col. John Reid, of Monmouth county, and died in 1768. Thomas was born 1734.—*History of Paterson, by William Nelson*, 303.

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RUN away from the Subscriber, living in Upper Freehold Township, Monmouth County, in New-Jersey, a Negroe Man, named Pomp, about 36 Years of Age, about 5 Feet 10 Inches high, he has lost one of his upper Teeth, and has a bald Spot on the Crown of his Head; had on, when he went away, an old light coloured Coat, an old Pair of Leather Breeches, old Ozenbrigs Shirt, a Pair of white Yarn Stockings, a Pair of new Pumps, an old Felt Hat, and he took with him, a small sized Gun. Whoever takes up and secures said Fellow, so that his Master may have him again, shall have Thirty Shillings Reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by

EBENEZER APPLEGATE.

At a Meeting of the UNION FIRE COMPANY in Trenton, on the Sixth Instant, it was unanimously agreed by the Members, to expend no Lamb in their Families this Season.

*** The Subscribers to this Paper, on the Road from Philadelphia to Bristol, who used to be served by the New-York Post, are requested to send their Papers by the Market People, or otherwise, as may best suit them, the Rider going now on the Jersey Side to Burlington.

WILLIAM AIREY, who formerly rode the Jersey Stage, hereby gives Notice to his former Employers, and others, that he has begun to ride the same Stage again, and desires those Gentlemen who incline to have their Newspapers carried by him, to sign his Subscription Papers, which they will find at the following Places, viz. at Mr. Horn's, at Howell's Ferry; Mr. Porter's, Tavern-keeper in Amwell; Mr. Daniel Cahill's, Tavern keeper in Kingwood; and Mr. Isaac Fitzrandolph's, Tavern-keeper in Bethlehem. If he finds proper Encouragement, he de-

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signs to continue riding, and will do his utmost to oblige his Subscribers.

Gloucester, May 6, 1765

By Virtue of a Writ to me directed, will be exposed to Sale, on the 12th Day of July next, on the Premises, a Plantation, situate in the Township of Waterford, bounded by Land of Michael Hewlings, by Lands late Thomas Willard's, by Lands late Benjamin Willard, and by the River Delaware, containing 130 Acres (more or less) with a Dwelling-house and Kitchen thereon, about 10 Acres of Meadow, and more may be made, a good Orchard and about 40 Acres of cleared Land, it is very convenient to attend Philadelphia Market; late the Property of Thomas Willard, deceased, and taken in Execution at the suit of Joseph Morgan by

Robert Friend Price, Sheriff.

Whereas Captain Evan Shelby obtained a Bond of me the Subscriber, for 165 l, in the Year 1761, and payable in the Year 1763, which Bond have paid Part, as appears by the Indorsements on the same, and the Remainder have Receipts for. The Bond was perfected in Maryland, printed on stamped Paper; I have Reason to apprehend he has already assigned it, either in New-Jersey or Pennsylvania. This therefore is to warn every Person from taking any Assignment on said Bond, as I will not pay any Part of it, having as before observed, cancelled the whole.

Joseph Warford.

Gloucester, May 6, 1765

By Virtue of a Writ to me directed, will be exposed to Sale, on the 15th Day of July next, on the Premises, all the Right and Title that Vincent West had at the Time

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of his Death in and to a Saw-mill, with a small Dwelling-house, good Stables, and 3000 Acres of Pine Land (be the same more or less) situate in Gloucester County, about 6 Miles from Mr. Elijah Clark's Mills. Any Person who has a mind to view the same, may apply to the Tenant now in Possession, and be better informed. The Lease of the above Premises, with some Proprietary Rights, will be sold at the same Time and Place; the whole taken in Execution at the suit of Joseph Collins, and others, by me

Robert Friend Price, Sheriff.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1899, *May* 16, 1765.

To be sold at Publick Vendue,

At the House of George Campbell in Prince-Town, on Saturday the 1st Day of June next, and to continue until all are sold;

THIRTEEN good Feather Beds plentifully furnish'd with Sheets, Pillow Cases, and Bedclothes, 13 Bedsteads, 7 of them with Sacking Bottoms, several Suits of very good Curtains, Table Linen, Towels, &c. Desks, Chests of Drawers, Dining and dressing Tables and Stands, Looking Glasses, a Variety of Chairs, Windsor Chairs, &c. Clothes Presses, several large and good Cupboards; Pictures, large and small; China and Delf Bowls, Dishes and Plates, Cups and Saucers, Decanters and Wine Glasses, Castors and Waiters, &c. Several large and small Kitchen Tables, Iron Pots of all sizes, a large Brass washing Kettle, a large and good Pie Pan, large and small Brass and Copper Tea Kettles and Coffee Pots, Brass and Iron Candlesticks and Snuffers, Pewter Dishes and Plates, Kitchen and Chamber End-Irons, Shovels and Tongs, a good roasting turn Jack, and several Spits;

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Iron dripping and frying pans, and broiling Irons, large and small; a good Coffee Mill, Walnut Salt and Knife Boxes, several good English Trammels, a Crane, Brass and Iron Chaffing Dishes, a good baking Stone, Sauce Pans, Cullenders, Bleekies and Milk Pans, several Iron bound Pipes, Hhds, Barrels and Quarter Casks, with sundry other Articles which it would be too tedious to mention. Also, Two good milch Cows, newly calved. Also,

To be Sold either at publick or private Sale,

THE noted and well accustomed Tavern, the Hudebrass, at Prince-Town; It is esteem'd by all Gentlemen acquainted with the Road, to be the best Stand between New-York and Philadelphia. The House is new, has a Cellar under the whole, and has 12 Rooms; two good Kitchens, one of which has a Loft over it with two good Rooms; a good Stable with a large Loft which will hold 5 Tons of Hay, 2 Sheds, a large boarded in Barrack, a large Hen-House, a Hog-House, and a new Hen Coop 2 Stories high which will contain 200 Fowls. There is a small lot of Ground, and adjoining to it 2 excellent good Gardens well stored with Greens, Sallads, Herbs and all Sorts of Garden Stuff. Also to be sold, at private Sale, A Servant Girl who understands all Sorts of House Work, and has three years to serve.

The Conditions of Sale are, that all Bidders under Six Pounds, are to pay ready Money; and all above that Sum, to pay in 6 Months, giving Bond and Security if required.

N. B. As I have put my books in the Hands of Cornelius Low, Esq; Attorney at Law, in New-Brunswick for the Benefit of my Creditors, I desire all Persons, with-

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out Distinction, that are indebted to me, to pay the Ballances of their Accounts without further Notice from

Their humble Servant.

GEORGE CAMPBELL.

*** I shall continue to keep Tavern in the best Manner, as usual, till the House is sold

GEORGE CAMPBELL.

—*The New York Gazette or Weekly Post Boy, May* 16, 1765.

To be sold at publick Vendue,

ON Monday the 10th Day of June, the House and Lot of Land belonging to George Johnson, pleasantly situated near the Water Side in the City of Perth-Amboy, together with the Wharf, and Appurtenances thereunto belonging; the House is new, with two good Rooms on a Floor, and a very good Cellar Kitchen, and is suitable for a Merchant, Tavern keeper, or Tradesman. The Vendue will be held on the Premises, and begin at 11 o'Clock in the Forenoon, when the Conditions of Sale will be made known. Any Person inclining to Purchase before the Day aforesaid, may apply to the said George Johnson, living on the Premises, by whom an indisputable Title will be given.

Perth-Amboy, May 14, 1765.

To be sold at publick Vendue on the Premises, at Atquacknunk in East New-Jersey, on Thursday the 13th Day of June next.

A Good stone house, two stories high, with a kitchen, store-house and barn, and lot of ground, now in the occupation of Richard Van Der Havon: Said house and lot of ground fronts two rods in breadth, along the king's road, easterly 53 feet, which leads to the great falls, and

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in length northerly 202 feet, which leads to the little falls; it is either fit for a merchant or tradesman; there are sundry apple and other fruit trees on the premises.[1] An indisputable title will be given by us the subscribers: Also to be sold, sundry sorts of houshold goods.

GERRIBRANT GERRIBRANTS,
ALEXANDER FORBES,
RICHARD VAN DER HAVON.

N. B. The conditions of sale will be made known at the time and place of sale. Any person inclining to purchase the same before the day of sale, may apply to the subscribers aforesaid.—*The New York Gazette or Weekly Post Boy, May* 23, 1765.

WHEREAS BENJAMIN PRICE, by Reason of his late Indisposition advertised that he designed to quit the Practice of the Law, and that he would dispose of Part of his Library &c. but now through Providence being recovered, and being averse to an idle Life, designs to continue the Practice in Philadelphia, Chester and Gloucester Counties and the Supreme Courts of New-Jersey, and hopes to give the usual Satisfaction, and do Justice to all such as shall be pleased to employ him.

BENJAMIN PRICE.

To be sold by public Vendue, at the House of George Campbell, in Princetown, on the first Day of June next, to begin at 10 o'Clock a great Variety of Houshold and Kitchen Furniture, consisting of Feather Beds, Curtains, Bedsteads, and Bedding, Tablecloths, Napkins &c, also Chests of Drawers, Desks, Looking Glasses, Dining, Tea and other Tables, Chairs of different Sorts; some choice Pictures, several Kinds of China, Earthen Plates and

[1] At the Great Notch, where the roads cross. It was a tavern stand for more than a century.

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Glass Ware, Pewter, Brass Candlesticks, Tea Kettles, Brass Pans, Iron Pots, a good Jack and Spits, Hand irons, Shovels and Tongs, Washing Tubs, and Chafing Dishes. Also two very good Milch Cows, newly calved, and a young hearty Servant Girl's Time, that has three Years to serve, with sundry other Goods, too tedious to mention. The Conditions will be made public on the Day of Sale.

Philadelphia, May 20, 1765.

EIGHT DOLLARS Reward.

DESERTED the 4th Inst. from His Majesty's First Battalion, 60th or Royal American Regiment, Frederick Baker, a Lad about 15 Years of Age, of a fair Complexion, and pretty well set; had on, when he deserted, his Regimentals for a Fifer, having listed some Time ago for that Purpose at Lancaster; he has a Brother, named Bartholomew Baker, a Tavern keeper that lives in Market-street, Philadelphia, and his Mother lives a little Way over in the Jerseys; one of which Places it is supposed he is concealed at. Whoever will give Information where said Deserter is concealed, or have him secured in any of His Majesty's Goals, and will give Notice to Captain PREVOST, in New York, or Mr. FRANCIS WADE, in Philadelphia, shall receive the above Reward, exclusive of His Majesty's Bounty for taking up Deserters.

N. B. If said Deserter will join his Regiment, or deliver himself up to said Francis Wade, in 15 Days from the above Date, he shall be entitled to his Pardon; he lived with a Barber in Lancaster for some Time, where it is possible he may return.

Now in the Tenure of Stacy Potts, and to be sold, a well-accustomed and convenient Tan-yard, consisting of 36 Vatts and Handlers, two large Leaches, five Limes,

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two Bates, and one good Water Pool, with all convenient Buildings for carrying on the Tanning and Currying Business. The Lot whereon the Tan-yard stands is fronting on King-street, in Trenton, and contains two Acres, and a Third of an Acre; on the Lot is a good Stable and Hay house. Likewise one other Lot of Land adjoining the above, containing one Half of an Acre, whereon is a good Dwelling house and Garden, chiefly fenced in with Cedar Posts and Boards. The Yard may be bought separate from the House. Any Person inclining to purchase the above Premises, may know the Terms by applying to BENJAMIN BILES, living at Hermitage, near Trenton.

To be sold for ready Money, on the 15th Day of the Sixth Month (called June) being the seventh Day of the Week, at the House of William Hugg, in Gloucester, sundry Parcels of Land chiefly Cedar Swamp, in West New-Jersey, belonging to the Estate of Joseph Marshall, deceased, viz. 29 Acres of Cedar Swamp, lying down the Branch of Long-a-Coming, near the Indian Path, on the Egg Harbour Road. One other of 11 Acres, and an Half, joining Cedar Swamp of Samuel Harrison, about three Miles from the Sign of the Blue Anchor, on the Road to Great Egg-harbour. Also Forty-six Acres of Land, about Half of which is Cedar Swamp, on the southermost Branch, at the Head of Little Egg-harbour River, near Fry's Saw mill. Likewise a Right to 33 Acres, to be laid in any Part of the Western Division. The Sale to begin at Two o'Clock in the Afternoon, where Attendance will be given by JOSEPH KING, CHRISTOPHER MARSHALL, and DANIEL OFFLEY, Executors.

WHEREAS I am informed that many Gentlemen, who reside in Pennsylvania and the Jersies, are very desirous to be concerned in Iron-works, in any Part of Virginia,

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where a sufficient Quantity of that Ore can be found; therefore this serves to give Notice, that the Subscriber hath above 20000 Acres of fine Land, well watered and wooded, on a navigable Part of James River, below the Mountains, on Part thereof is a great Appearance of Iron Stone, which is very plenty on the Surface of the Earth for several Miles, and it is supposed there is a great Body of it, not far under Ground. Whoever is inclined to rent any of the said Land for 7, 14 or 21 Years, shall have all suitable Encouragement from the Subscriber, living on James River, in Cumberland County, Virginia.

Nicholas Davies.

Trenton, May 13, 1765.

WHEREAS several of the Members of the Trenton Library Company have been deficient in making their annual Payments, which is very prejudicial to the Growth of so valuable an Institution; the said Delinquents are hereby earnestly requested to discharge their Arrearages by the first Day of July next, otherwise the Directors will proceed to make Sale of their respective Shares to discharge the same, agreeable to the Articles. And any of the Members, or others, who have either of the following Books belonging to the said Library, viz. Oldmixon's History of England; first Volume of Granville's Works; Pomfret's Poems; Trial of the Witnesses; first Volume Independent Whig; several Volumes Plutarch's Lives; Presbyterian Loyalty; third Volume Pope's Works; Life of the Dutchess of Marlborough; second Volume Rambler; Harvey's Meditations, both Volumes; Mundrell's Travels; or any other of said Books, which have been out longer than their respective limited times, are desired to return them to the Librarian as soon as possible, or they may expect to be proceeded against. Signed, by Order of the Directors, by STACY POTTS, Secretary and Libra-

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rian.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1900, *May* 23, 1765.

The Stamp Act takes Place the First Day of November next; and John Hughes, and William Coxe, Esquires, we hear, are the Officers appointed for this Province, and the Jerseys.

To Be Sold,

A Good two Story Brick House and Kitchen, with a Lot of Ground thereunto belonging, containing in Breadth, on the North Side of Sassafras-street in the City of Philadelphia, 17 Feet and in Length 51 Feet, together with the Privilege of a 3 Feet Alley, now in the Tenure of Charles Lawrence. Any Person inclining to purchase, may apply to Peter Thomson, in the City of Philadelphia, or to the Subscriber, living in Greenwich Township, in the County of Gloucester, West New Jersey, where they may be informed of the Title and Terms of Sale.

John Comron.

Trenton, May 21, 1765.

Notice is hereby given, that there is now in Trenton Goal a Negroe Man, named Sawney, about 40 Years of Age. Any Person, proving his Property, may have him again, paying the Charges, in four Weeks after this Date; otherwise he will be sold for the same, by

George Brown, Goaler.

Run away from the Subscriber, living in Roxbury, Morris County, East-Jersey, a Mulattoe Fellow, named Tom, about 30 Years of Age, about 5 Feet 6 Inches high; had on, when he went away, a blue Waistcoat, a Pair of Buckskin Breeches, which it is likely he has changed. He has one extraordinary Mark, having no Toes on either of

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his Feet. Whoever takes up the said Mulattoe Fellow, and secures him, so that his Master may have him again, shall have Ten Pounds Reward, and all reasonable Charges, paid by

JOHN VANDORN.

These are to forewarn all Persons not to take any Assignment on a Bond for Fifty Pounds, given by Aaron Beekman, deceased, to Hugh M'Can of Hunterdon County, West Jersey, wherein Isaac Skillman, and Christopher Beekman, deceased, were Securities; for their Heirs are determined not to pay the said Bond, as they think the said Hugh M'Can has had full Satisfaction for the same.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1901, *May* 30, 1765.

New-York, May 30. On Tuesday last Week our Annual Commencement was held at Trinity Church, in this City. . . . . After Prayers and a Latin Oration by the Rev. Mr. Myles Cooper, President of the College, Orations were delivered by Mr. Benson and Mr. Schuyler (Son of Col. John Schuyler, of the Jersies)[1] in Latin, and by Mr. Livingston, (Son of Judge Livingston) and Mr. Antell in English. . . . .

After the Exercise, the President conferr'd the Degree of Bachelor of Arts upon Messrs. Lloyd, Benson, Schuyler, Grant and Livingston. And the Degree of Master of Arts, upon the Rev. Mr. Leaming, the Rev. Mr. Hanna, Mr. Antell,[2] Mr. Cuyler and Mr. Leslie.

[1] Arent J. Schuyler, born Oct., 1746; married his cousin, Swan Schuyler, Nov. 2, 1772; died Oct. 28, 1803. He lived on his father's estate, at the copper mines opposite Belleville.

[2] Edward Antill, born at Piscataqua, N. J., April 11, 1742, son of Edward Antill, 2d, and Anne Morris, daughter of Gov. Lewis Morris. He was graduated from King's College in 1762, and was admitted to the New York bar, but removed to Quebec; at the beginning of the Revolution he took sides with the Americans, and was commissioned as a Lieutenant Colonel, serving until 1783. He was licensed as an Attorney in New Jersey in 1783, and had an office in New York. He died at St. John, near Montreal, May 21, 1789. See "Edward Antill, a New York Merchant of the seventeeth century, and his descendants," by William Nelson, 1900.

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To be sold at private Sale,

In Middletown, in the County of Monmouth, within three Miles of a Landing, at Middletown Point;

A Plantation containing 102 Acres, whereon there is a good dwelling House, Kitchen and Garden; a good Dutch Barn 35 Feet by 45, a Stone Well and a good bearing Orchard of choice Fruit, about 300 Trees: The Land well stored with Timber. Also one Lot of Land containing 5 Acres, most of it Meadow. Also two Lots at the said Middletown Point, one 40 Feet in Front and 100 back; the other 16 Feet Front and near 80 back. Whoever inclines to purchase the whole or any Part, may apply to JOHANNES BENNET, living on the Premises, who will agree on reasonable Terms, and make an indisputable Title for the same—*The New York Gazette or Weekly Post Boy, May* 30, 1765.

Philadelphia, May 30. The Stamp Act takes Place the First Day of November next; and John Hughes, and William Coxe, Esqrs. we hear, are the Officers appointed for this Province, and the Jersies.

BURLINGTON, May 22, 1765.

The SPEECH of His Excellency

WILLIAM FRANKLIN, Esq;

Captain General, Governor and Commander in Chief, in and over His Majesty's Province of New-Jersey, and Territories thereon depending in America, Chancellor and Vice-Admiral in the same, &c.

Gentlemen of the COUNCIL, Mr. SPEAKER, and Gentlemen of the ASSEMBLY.

IT is with infinite Satisfaction that I embrace this first Opportunity of congratulating you upon the happy Termination of Hostilities with the Indians. By the wise Measures of His Majesty's General, and the judi-

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cious, spirited Conduct of Col. BOUQUET, they have been reduced to accept the most humiliating Terms of Accommodation. They were not only compelled to deliver up all their Prisoners, but even their own Children, born of white Women; and to give up a Number of their principal Chiefs, to remain as Hostages, till they should send Deputies to Sir WILLIAM JOHNSON, to settle a Peace upon such further Terms as he should think necessary.

The Troops you enabled me to send into the Field, for the last Campaign, were of considerable Service: Their Behaviour, in every Respect, was such as did houour to the Province. The Guards placed on our Frontiers have likewise done their Duty, and the Inhabitants have been fully protected from the Incursions of the Enemy.

I have it in Charge from His Majesty to recommend to you the Facilitating the Conveyance of Letters, by the Posts, through this Province.[1] A regular, safe and speedy Correspondence is of the utmost Importance to His Majesty's Service, and to the commercial Interest and general Convenience of his Subjects. It is therefore not to be doubted but the Legislatures of the several Colonies will readily and cheerfully promote the Establishment of Ferries, the Erection of Bridges, the Improvement of Roads, and whatever else may contribute to prevent Delays and Interruptions to the Posts in passing. His Majesty's Deputy Post-masters General for the Northern District of America, have given me Assurances, that if the Legislature of this Province will cause Bridges to be erected over Ancocus, and the Creek near the Barracks in this City, they will order the Posts to take that Route in their Way between New-York and Philadelphia; as the Communication will be thereby considerably shortened,

[1] See N. J. Archives, IX., 249, 295; and Whitehead's Perth Amboy, 275.

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and rendered far more certain.[1] The many Advantages to the Province in general, which will attend this Measure, if carried into Execution, will, in my Opinion, greatly over-balance any inconveniences it may occasion. Indeed, all of the latter, which I have yet heard suggested, have been either imaginary, or such as are merely local, and might be easily obviated.

I have received from the Lords Commissioners for Trade and Plantations, an Order of His Majesty in Council, repealing the "Act for rendering void the Lottery made by Peter Gordon, for the Sale of certain Lands in the County of Middlesex," Passed in the Time of your late Governor. Their Lordships' Reasons for proposing the Repeal of this Act, and for not laying before His Majesty an Act passed at the same Time, "for imposing a Duty upon the Importation of Negroes," will appear by an Extract of their Letter, which the Secretary will communicate to you.[2]

It would afford me, Gentlemen, the greatest pleasure to see the Inhabitants of this Province, now Peace is so happily established, turning their Attention to the Cultivation and Production of such Articles as might serve for Remittances to the Mother Country; and which, at the same time that they tended to her Advantage, might prove beneficial to the Colony. For this Purpose, I would recommend to you to grant a Bounty to encourage the Raising of Hemp and Flax,[3] and the Cutting of Plank and Timber, for Exportation to Great Britain. The Parliament have already granted some Encouragement to the two first Articles, and the truly laudable Society for Arts,

[1] Numerous acts were passed in 1765 and soon after, for improving the roads of the Province. See N. J. Archives, XVII., 408, 414; 406, 411, 415; 476, 478, 499; 476-7, 479-80, 482, 499; 477, 479, 481, 499, etc.

[2] For the proceedings attending the passage of this act, see N. J. Archives, XVII., 247-50, 327, 331, 338. For proceedings relative to annulling the same, see N. J. Archives, IX., 446, 458, 487.

[3] Such an act was promptly introduced and passed, in 1765; and the bounty was continued by an act passed in 1768. See N. J. Archives, XVII., 408, 414, 434; 471-2, 475, 498.

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Manufacturers and Commerce, have shewn a Disposition to promote the others. They have, for that End, sent into several of the Colonies, Boxes containing Specimens of divers Sorts of Fir Timber, and Deals, which are imported into England from Riga and Norway, with a Description of the same, and the Prices they are sold at. One of these Boxes and Descriptions I have received, and shall order to be shewn to any of the Inhabitants of the Colony who may incline to see them. This you may depend on, that every Species of Timber has for many Years been rising in Price in Great-Britain; and that there is scarce any Thing wanting, to make a ready Vent for Oak, Fir, Pine, Cypress, and Cedar from America, but a Knowledge of the Scantlings wanted for each particular Use, and to cut for that Market good Wood, in the right Season.

The Society before mentioned have likewise given handsome Premiums for the Encouragement of the Culture of Silk, and the Making of Wines and Pot Ash in America; and as they might be produced in this Province (as appears by some Experiments made in the neighbouring Colonies) it might be worth your Enquiry, whether it would not be proper for the Legislature to grant such further Assistance as may be sufficient to incite the People to undertake the Production of those valuable Articles.

The Militia Law being near expired, it is necessary that you should take that Matter into your Consideration. A well regulated Militia is of the utmost Importance to the Security of the Inhabitants from foreign Invasions, and internal Commotions. Our Law for that Purpose has been generally complained of as defective in several material Points, but I hope this Session will produce one less liable to Objection.

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Mr. SPEAKER, and Gentlemen of the ASSEMBLY,

Besides the due Support of His Majesty's Government, I have only to recommend that you would make Provision for the Pay owing to the Forces raised last Year, for the Time they were obliged to serve after the First Day of November.

Gentlemen of the COUNCIL, Mr. SPEAKER, and Gentlemen of the ASSEMBLY,

So many Benefits to the Public have resulted from a perfect Harmony subsisting between the different Branches of the Legislature in this Province, that I am convinced no Arguments are necessary to induce you to endeavour its Preservation and Continuance; I shall therefore only add my earnest Wishes that all your Consultations may be productive of the most happy Consequences to the Country.

August 12, 1764.

RUN-away from Augustine Reid of Morris County, New-Jersey, TWO NEGRO MEN, one named BEN, about 35 Years old, is a thick set Fellow, and has a Scar on one of his Cheeks; born in Barbados, in the West-Indies, & has been over about two Years and a half; the other is named JOE, about 20 Years old; the white of his Eyes is of a reddish Cast, has black specks in them, is a nimble, active Fellow. Whoever takes up and secures the said Negroes, so that their Master may have them again, shall receive THIRTY POUNDS Reward for both, or FIFTEEN Pounds for either, and all reasonable Charges, paid by

AUGUSTINE REID.

To be Sold,

At Vendue, at the House of Benjamin Alford, in

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Woodbridge, East New-Jersey, on Wednesday the 3d July next.

About Twelve Acres of Land, which will be sold in two Parcels, and is very fit for Plowing or Pasture; the whole is well water'd, having a Brook which is never dry, running through it. Also four Acres lying near it, on a Boggy Part of which, a Spring may easily be made; the Land is good for Plowing, Pasture or Meadow, and Hay has already been mowed from part of it. Also three Acres of good Salt Meadow, joining to the upland, and convenient to the House Lot Landing. Also a Yoke of Oxen and three Milch Cows. The Vendue will begin at One o'Clock, and 6 Months Credit will be allowed.

Woodbridge, June 3, 1765.

Benjamin Alford.

—*The New York Gazette or Weekly Post Boy, June* 6, 1765.

Custom-House, Philadelphia, Entered In. Sloop Abigail, S. Chivers, from Salem. Schooner Lydia, B. Lunt, from Piscataway.

Outwards. Sloop Abigail, S. Chivers, for Salem.

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested in the meadows and swamps lying on the east side of the town of Greenwich, in Cumberland county, above a tide bank that leads from the fast land of Benjamin Tyler, across the said meadow to the fast land of Samuel Fithan, that at the next general assembly of New-Jersey, an act will be petitioned for to enable the owners of the said meadows to keep up the said bank and water works; and all persons concerned are desired then to appear and make their objections, if any they have.

Benjamin Tyler.
Samuel Fithan.

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SAMUEL M'CULOUGH, son to JOHN M'CULOUGH late of Mamacullen in the county of Armagh, Ireland, and is supposed to have lived some time ago near Woodbridge in the Jerseys, may hear of something to his advantage by applying to

ORR, GLENHOLME, & Co.

N. B. They likewise request the favour of a line from Mr. Thomas Nesbitt, who came from Belfast on board the Dufley Galley, Capt. Hamilton, about 12 years since, as they have business of consequence with him, but do not know where to find him.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1174, *June* 6, 1765.

Burlington, May 27, 1765.

RUN away last Night from the Subscriber, living in the Township of Springfield, in the County of Burlington, the two following described Persons, viz. Jacob Holler, a Dutchman, is about five Feet seven Inches high, dark Complexion; had on and took with him the following Cloaths, viz. a white Fustian Coat, a light Camblet Jacket, dark coloured Fustian Breeches, and a pair of black knit Ditto; black everlasting Jacket with white Lining, a brown Homespun Coat, with Brass Buttons, six Shirts, two fine, two small Check, and two Ozenbrigs, two Pair of Ozenbrigs Trowsers, several Pair of Stockings, a fine Linen Wallet sewed with brown Thread, a Sickle, Scythe and Tackling, a Gun, Bayonet and Cartridge Box, the Gun and Cartridge-Box is marked NEW-JERSEY on them. The other named Matthew Case, a short well set Man, about five Feet, six Inches high, sandy Complexion, he has lately been fighting, and is very much bruised in the Face; he run away and was advertised the latter part of last Summer, and called himself James Steward; he had a brown Coat, and crimson coloured Plush Jacket on, an

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old Check Shirt, and a new Ozenbrigs Ditto. Whoever apprehends and secures the said Servants in any Goal, and gives Notice thereof to their Master, so that he may have them again, shall have Ten Pistoles Reward, and reasonable Charges, if brought Home, or Five for either, paid by

Edward Tonkin.

BURLINGTON, New-Jersey, June 5, 1765

Yesterday being the Anniversary of His Majesty's Birth-Day, the Gentlemen of the Council and General Assembly, together with the Mayor and Corporation of this City, and many of the Magistrates and principal Inhabitants, went at Noon in Procession to the House of his Excellency our Governor, where they drank the Healths of the KING, the Royal Family, the Administration, Prosperity to the Province, &c. under the Discharge of some small Pieces of Brass Cannon, which were planted before the Governor's Door for the Purpose. . . . The Company had likewise the Pleasure of seeing the fine Portraits of their Majesties (drawn at full Length, in their Coronation Robes, by the King's Painter, Mr. Ramsey) which were lately sent over as a Present from the Crown to his Excellency.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1902, *June* 6, 1765.

The Subscriber takes this Method to inform the Public, that he has opened a Ferry, for the Accommodation of all Gentlemen, Travellers, &c. passing from Point Pleasant, in New-Jersey, to Philadelphia, and the District of Southwark, opposite to it. And also, that Provision is made for the like Accommodation from the House of Margaret Donaldson, at the Sign of Admiral Kepple, in the District of Southwark, to the Landing Place of the Subscriber; where all Gentlemen and Ladies, who choose to retire and

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relax their Minds from Business, with rural Recreation, enjoy the Benefit of the Air, and at the same time be agreeably diverted with a pleasant Prospect of the flourishing City of Philadelphia, the Ships in the Harbour, and what other Beauties the River affords, shall meet with good Entertainment, and civil Usage. The Subscriber hopes that those who favour him with their Custom, will readily excuse, and make some little Allowance (as the Place is entirely new) for every Thing not yet being in proper Order, as he expects shortly to have every Thing disposed for their Satisfaction.

The Subscriber has to sell, or lett, for a term of Years, the Wharff, Water and Bank Lot, which was his former Ship-yard, being suitably situated to erect a compleat Ferry in Southwark, to answer the aforesaid Purpose, and the mutual Benefit of both Ferries, For further Particulars, enquire of

Arthur Donaldson.

N. B. The Bridge over Newtown Creek, being not yet compleated, Gentlemen, &c. travelling towards Salem, are desired not to disappoint themselves, by crossing the River as aforesaid, until the Bridge is finished, which will be soon, when the Public will be informed of it.

To be sold by public Vendue, at the London Coffee-house, at 6 o'Clock in the Evening, on the 21st inst. June, two Messuages, and Lots of Ground, situated on the North Side of Mill-street, in Bridgetown (commonly called Mount-Holly) West New-Jersey; the Houses stand well for any public Business, one of them adjoining to the Three Tun Tavern, in the Tenure of Daniel Jones, 32 Feet Front, and 16 Feet deep, one Half of the Front serves for a Cellar, the other Half for a Dwelling-house. Along the Back thereof is a Brick Building, 19 Feet deep, and is divided, one Part to the Cellar aforesaid, and the

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other Part to the Dwelling-house. The other House adjoins the above described Building, and is 19 Feet Front, and 16 Feet deep, two Stories high, with a Brick Lento the same Length of the Front, and 20 Feet deep, one Half of the Lower Part of said Lento is a Cellar, the other Part a Wash-house, with two small Lodging Rooms over them.

The Lot on which the first described Building stands, is about 37 Feet on Mill-street, 159 Feet deep, and 19 Feet 9 Inches wide at the back End. The other Lot is about 35 Feet on Mill-street, 182 Feet deep and 9 Feet 10 Inches wide at the back End.

N. B. The Creditors of John Ewan, are desired to meet at the London Coffee-house, on the 21st Instant, at 5 o'Clock in the Afternoon.

Gloucester County, June 8, 1765

LATELY found, as is said, on Daniel Cooper's late Ferry Wharff, a small Silver Watch. The Owner, by applying to the Subscriber, near Cooper's Ferry, proving his Property, and paying Charges, may have her again.

Samuel Spicer.

Trenton, May 1, 1765.

By Virtue of a Writ of Fieri Facias to me directed, will be exposed to Sale at public Vendue to the highest Bidder, on Tuesday the 2d of July next, between the Hours of 12 and 5 of the Clock, on the Premises, 148 Acres of Land, situated in Amwell, noted for the best Wheat Land in the Province, bounded by Lands of John Opdike, Richard Kitchen, and others, be it more or less, on which is a large Stone House, two Stories high, four Rooms on a Floor, a large Entry through the House, with Cellars underneath the whole; also two Overshot Grist-mills, supplied by Water from living Springs, a good Barn, Stable, Cow-

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house, Milk-house, a fine young Orchard, an excellent Piece of Clover Meadow in front of the Dwelling-house, which may be watered by the Water from the Mills in the driest Seasons; there is also a Frame House on the said Lands. Also to be sold the same Day, Feather Beds and Furniture, Chests of Drawers, Tables, Chairs, Pewter, Iron Pots, Tramels, Candlesticks, two Horses, two Mares, two Cows and sundry other Things too tedious to mention here, late the Property, and now in Possession of Joseph Howell, seized and taken in Execution at the suit of Thomas Pryor, jun. and to be sold by

SAMUEL TUCKER, Sheriff.

Trenton, May 2, 1765.

By Virtue of a Writ of Fieri Facias to me directed, will be exposed to Sale at public Vendue, on the Premises, on Thursday, the 4th of July next, between the Hours of 12 and 5 of the Clock, 100 Acres of Land, situate in Readingtown, bounded by Lands of Peter Newell, William Finnor, Amos Swesey, and William Coxe. Also a Lot of Land, containing about one Acre, be it more or less, with the Grist-mill and Saw-mill, situated on the North-easterly Side of that fine Stream called the South Branch of Rariton River, also in Readingtown, and within 100 Yards from the above described Hundred Acres, with all the Utensils unto the said Mills belonging; late the Property of John Mires, seized and taken in Execution at the Suit of David Franks and to be sold by

SAMUEL TUCKER, Sheriff.

N. B. The Conditions will be made known at the Day of Sale.

Trenton, May 3, 1765

By Virtue of several Writs of Fieri Facias to me directed, will be exposed for Sale, at public Vendue, to the

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highest Bidder, on Monday, the 8th of July next, between the Hours of 12 and 5 of the Clock, on the Premises, a valuable Tract of Land, containing 204 Acres, situate in Tewksbury, bounded by Lands late Christopher Beekman, Daniel Hanly, Nehemiah Harris, and Alematunk River, on which is a good Dwelling-house, three Rooms on the lower Cellar, under the House, Store House, large Barn, a fine young Orchard and good Meadow; the Land is excellent for raising Wheat, and other Grain, is natural for white Clover; also a good Grist-mill, with two Pair of Stones, the necessary Boulting-mills for Merchant and Country Work; also a Fulling-mill, Dye-kettle, Press and Press-house, with the Tools for carrying on the Fulling Business; also a Saw-mill, all which go by the Water from one Dam on the River Alematunk, most pleasantly situated in a fine Wheat Country. Also to be sold the same Day, to begin at 12 of the Clock, one Iron Bound Waggon, with Gears, four Horses, one Mare and Colt, 7 Horned Cattle, Sheep, Hogs, Feather Beds and Furniture, Bedsteads, Tables, Chests, Pewter Platters, Plates, Iron Pots and Kettles, Tea Kettles, Tea Pots, Cups and Saucers, Looking-Glasses, two Fields of Wheat in the Ground, a large Parcel of Oak, Belstead and other Boards, Pleasure Sleigh, Wood Sled, Ox Chain, Plough and Harrow, one Negroe Man, one Negroe Girl, a Servant Boy's Time, with sundry other Houshold Goods and Farming Utensils too tedious to mention here, late the Property of Hugh M'Cann; seized and taken in Execution, at the Suit of John Phenix, William Flatt, Anthony Waldraff, and others, and to be sold by

SAMUEL TUCKER, Sheriff.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1903, *June* 13, 1765.

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FIFTY SPANISH DOLLARS Reward

MADE his Escape from the Sheriff of Hunterdon County, West Jersey, on or about the 10th of April last, a certain Hugh M'Can, who it is said has changed his Name to that of Hugh Johnson, born in Ireland, aged near 60 Years, about 5 Feet 6 or 7 Inches high, black or hazel Eyes, and one of them something lighter coloured than the other, with large black Eye-brows, wears his Hair, which is grey, which he sometimes covers with a Silk or Linen Cap, or a black or brown cut Wig, takes Plenty of Snuff, fair Complexion, addicted to strong Liquor, and very talkative when the least intoxicated; he can scarce write his Name intelligibly, but pretends to be well versed in Trade, which he followed in the Retail Way, together with the manufacturing of Wheat, at his late Grist-mills at Almetunk River; he also had a Saw-mill and Fulling-mill, is a Fuller by Trade, and will brag largely of his Knowledge in dying Cloaths of two Colours, the one Side scarlet, and the other blue. Whoever apprehends and secures the said Hugh M'Can, alias Johnson, and causes him to be sent back, and delivered to the Sheriff of Philadelphia, shall receive Fifty Spanish Dollars, and all reasonable Charges, paid by the Subscriber. It is hoped that all Persons will be diligent to apprehend him, with a View to detect one of such vile Principles, who deserted the said Sheriff, who placed a Confidence in him out of Compassion, and let him pursue his Business, rather than lock him up in Goal, which he was liable to, and justly deserved.

SAMUEL TUCKER, Sheriff of Hunterdon County.

N. B. The said Hugh M'Can, alias Johnson, went Passenger on board the Sloop Adventure, John Matthews, Master, from Philadelphia to St. Kitts, and sailed the 18th or 20th of April last.

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Burlington, June 10, 1765

To his Excellency

WILLIAM FRANKLIN, Esq;

Captain General, Governor and Commander in Chief, in and over His Majesty's Province of New-Jersey, and Territories thereon depending in America, Chancellor and Vice Admiral in the same &c.

The humble ADDRESS of the COUNCIL of the Province of New-Jersey

May it please your EXCELLENCY,

WE very heartily join with your Excellency, in Congratulations upon the Cessation of Hostilities with the Indians, and in your Sentiments respecting the Measures and Conduct of His Majesty's General and Colonel BOUQUET, which, we trust, will produce a lasting Peace with those numerous Tribes that surround the British Colonies. It likewise gives us great Satisfaction, that the Troops furnished by this Province for last Campaign, and the Guards on our Frontiers, have so well performed their Duty.

We assure your Excellency, that it gave us real Pleasure to hear you recommend shortening and rendering more commodious our public Roads, and the Encouragement, by Bounties, of the Cultivation and Production of such Articles as may serve for Remittances to Great Britain. Nothing in our Power shall be omitted to carry these beneficial and public spirited Measures into Execution. We are fully sensible that this Province is now under great Difficulties, for want of such Produce as will answer to pay for those various British Manufactures which are to so great an Amount, consumed among us.

Our hearty Thanks are due to the worthy Society of Arts Manufactures and Commerce, for the many noble and generous Instances of their Attention to North-

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America: Besides the internal Reward which always attends benevolent Designs, we flatter ourselves that they will have the Satisfaction of seeing many of their truly judicious Schemes arrive at Maturity, to the great and mutual Advantage of the Colonies and Mother Country.

The other Matters recommended in your Excellency's Speech shall have our serious Attention, and every Thing in our Power shall be done to continue a perfect Harmony between the different Branches of the Legislature, from whence so many Benefits flow, to the Honour of your Excellency's Administration, and the Happiness of the Province.

The GOVERNOR'S Answer

GENTLEMEN,

I RETURN you my hearty Thanks for this obliging Address. Your Approbation of the Measures I have recommended affords me great Pleasure, and I doubt not, from your Readiness and Zeal to promote the public Good, but that you will forward them all in your Power.

To his Excellency,

WILLIAM FRANKLIN, Esq;

Captain General, Governor and Commander in Chief, in and over His Majesty's Province of New-Jersey, and Territories thereon depending in America, Chancellor and Vice Admiral in the same, &c

The humble ADDRESS of the REPRESENTATIVES of said Province, in General Assembly convened.

May it please your EXCELLENCY,

WE, His Majesty's dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Representatives of New-Jersey, in General Assembly convened, thoroughly sensible of the numerous Advantages that formerly did, and hereafter must, attend an

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uninterrupted Peace with the Indians, are sincerely glad of the happy Prospect lately obtained, that this salutary Business is likely to be effectually secured, under Providence, through the Wisdom and Vigilance of those who have planned, and so far executed, the important Charge, and to whom Britain and her Colonies have Obligations, on that Account, that will not soon be forgotten.

Agreeable to your Excellency's Recommendation, we have adopted the Measure of giving Bounties on Hemp, Flax, and planting of Mulberry Trees, with a View of stimulating our Inhabitants to future Industry and Wealth, in a Way hitherto but little used in this Government, but which, notwithstanding, appears to us to carry a Probability of succeeding, and being in Time considerable in the Article of Remittance to the Mother Country. On this Occasion our Acknowledgments are justly due to the Society for Arts, Manufactures and Commerce, on Account of their disinterested and benevolent Care respecting Improvements in the Colonies.

We also thank your Excellency for the Consideration you have repeatedly shewn as to the real Prosperity and Welfare of this Province, and hope, through the Continuance of that Attention and Regard, it may rise to further Improvements, and not be hereafter thought unworthy the united Attention of the whole Legislature, to encourage such Branches of Commerce as may promote Frugality, Industry, and a Spirit of Emulation on this Head, that the Purposes of paying our English Debts may be answered, without parting with the little Cash we have; for, under the present Discouragements, further Means of procuring it seems hard to devise.

Fully convinced that shortening the Post Roads would be a Work of public Advantage, if it can be effected without unreasonably prejudicing Individuals, we have this Session attempted it in Part, and, to be enabled to do it

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more effectually, have agreed with the Council, that Commissioners be appointed to survey other Parts, who are to report at next Session the most probable Method for benefiting the Public, with the Injury to which Particulars may be exposed, if any should appear, in order that such further Measures may be then taken as shall be thought best for the whole.

By Order of the House

ROBERT OGDEN, Speaker.

June 15, 1765

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1904, *June* 20, 1765.

WHEREAS my Wife has eloped from me, and has already contracted a Debt to the Amount of 20 l. in my Name: These are to warn all Persons, not to trust or entertain her on my Account, as I am determin'd to pay no Debt of her contracting after her Elopement.

JAMES CONNET.

Rahway, 18th of June, 1765.

—*The New York Gazette or Weekly Post Boy, June* 20, 1765.

TO BE SOLD BY,

JOHN MEASE,

A little below the drawbridge.

A small trunk of well sorted silk handkerchiefs, either the whole or in part. Also Genuine Lisbon wine, Antigua and Philadelphia rum; Burlington pork, salt, &c. which he will sell on the best terms for cash or short credit.

Whereas a report has been spread, that we Peter Hendrick Striepers, and John Herbergs, lay claim to great part of the north end of this city, to all Frankford, and a part of West New-Jersey, which report we believe has

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been spread with a design to prejudice the minds of the people against our title and claim: Therefore to take off that deception, we take this method of declaring what we do claim; which is five thousand acres of land in this province with its privileges purchased by our grandfather John Striepers, of William Penn Esq; deceas'd, late Proprietor of this province; also fifty acres of liberty land, and one acre in this city as a free gift of the late William Penn, Esq: to the said John Striepers of which we find taken up on said right as follows, viz. four thousand four hundred and forty eight acres in Bucks County called Striepers or the Dutch tract, adjoining the London company lands in Tinnicum township; two hundred and seventy five acres in New Providence Township, at a place called the Trap; about two hundred and seventy five acres in and about Germantown; also fifty acres of liberty land near Germantown, and three whole lots in this city lying in the square between fourth and fifth streets and Vine & Race streets; and whereas we can plainly make it appear, that we and those who have impower'd us are the true and lawful heirs of the said John Striepers, wherefore we have come over on purpose to take possession and settle the aforesaid estate; but as we are strangers to the laws of this country, and unwilling to enter into law-suits, we have offered to leave the determination of our title, and matters in controversy to three or more gentlemen mutually chosen which was refused, therefore we hope no report will prevail in prejudice to our title, and that if we are forced (contrary to our inclination) to bring ejectments against those in possession, (or otherwise into the law) that we shall be esteemed and held excusable.

Princeton, June 5.

WHEREAS by virtue of several writs of fieri facias to

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me directed, issued out of the several courts held in and for the county of Middlesex, against the goods and chattles, lands and tenements of George Campbell, at the suit of Samuel Rutherford and others, I have taken and seized the noted and well accustomed tavern known by the name of Hudibrass. It is esteemed by all gentlemen travellers to be the best and most noted between Philadelphia and New-York, it has proper accommodations for 40 travellers, with a stable to contain 30 horses, &c. &c. Also a lott of land in Princeton, lying near the college, of and belonging to the said George Campbell: now these are to give notice, that the said house and lotts taken as aforesaid, will be exposed to sale at public vendue on Tuesday the 6th day of August next, at the house of the said George Campbell on the premises, the said vendue to begin at 12 o'clock in the forenoon of the same day, at which time and place the terms and conditions of sale will be declared and made known by me,

JAMES BROOKS, Sheriff.

The above house will be kept as usual, and in the best manner, to entertain all travellers, until the house is sold, by me

GEORGE CAMPBELL.

N. B. I request the favour of all my creditors to attend on the same day.

RUN-AWAY from the subscriber, living on Raccoon Creek, in Greenwich Township, Gloucester county, an Irish servant man, named Henry M'Alieff, about 35 years of age, five feet four inches high, by trade a shoemaker, has short straight black hair, and has with him a brown wig, he is long visaged, pitted with the small Pox, has a long chin, and a short full Nose. Had on when he went away, a snuff coloured broadcloth coat, a brown jacket

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without sleeves, buckskin breeches, a white shirt, ribbed worsted stockings, old shoes, and small copper buckles.

Whoever takes up and secures said servant, so that his Master may have him again, shall have SEVEN POUNDS reward, and reasonable charges, paid by CORNELIUS BRYAN.

N. B. All masters of vessels are forbid to carry him off at their peril.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1176, *June* 20, 1765.

Gloucester, June 27.

NOTICE to the PUBLIC.

WHEREAS there is an act past in the 4th year of George the third, to enable the inhabitants of Gloucester, Salem and Cumberland county, to erect a causway and build a bridge over Newtown creek, in the county of Gloucester in New-Jersey, to be built by subscription, and as part of the work is done, and necessity calls for money to carry it on: we hope, as it is an advantage to this province, to the province of Pennsylvania, and the public in general, that they will freely contribute to forward the work. All that has already subscribed, and all that may have a mind to subscribe, are desired to pay in their subscriptions to John Sparks of Woodberry, Grant Gibbons, Esq; of Salem; Benjamin Thomson at the Glass-house; Ebenezer Miller of Greenwich; John Lawrence, Esq; at Burlington; Henry Paxton, of Mount Holly; Jacob Cooper at Philadelphia, or to any one of the managers; their receipt shall be a sufficient discharge. This by order of the managers appointed by the said act to receive the subscriptions, and carry on the work.

JAMES HINEMAN,
JAMES WHITALL,
JOHN SPARKS.

—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1177, *June* 27, 1765.

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Monmouth County, New-Jersey, June 18, 1765

THREE POUNDS Reward,

MADE his Escape from Monmouth County Goal, East New-Jersey, about four Months ago, one Frederick Prince, a German, a short well set Fellow, swarthy Complexion, black Hair, black Eyes, plays on the Violin, and speaks good English. Any Person that takes up said Prisoner, secures him, and gives Notice, so as he may be had again, shall receive the above Reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by JOHN TAYLOR, Sheriff, or JOSEPH MOBFORD, Sub-Sheriff.

FORASMUCH as several of the Subscribers to the New American Magazine, printed, a few Years ago at Woodbridge, in New-Jersey, have never paid off their Arrears due for the same; and by the Default of some, who were impowered to collect the Money, and the Loss of many of the Lists sent, and Returns made, the Printer has never received as much as would pay him ordinary Wages; therefore he applies in this Manner to such as are honest Men of those Subscribers, who are conscious that they are still indebted for any of those Magazines, earnestly desiring they would be so good as either to remit the Pay to the said Printer at Woodbridge, or to Franklin and Hall in Philadelphia, which would be gratefully accepted by their very humble Servant.

JAMES PARKER.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1905, *June* 27, 1765.

Notice is hereby given to the Publick,

THAT the Legislature of New-Jersey, have, by a Law made for that purpose, laid out a Road from New-Ark to the publick Road near the Town of Bergen, leading to Poulus-Hook, and established Ferries over the two

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small Rivers Passaick and Hackingsack, which makes the Distance from Poulus-Hook to New-Ark eight Miles, and will be a level and good Road when the Cause-ways are made; and as said Road will be very commodious for Travellers, and give a short and easy Access of a large Country to the Markets of the City of New-York, and be of general Benefit both to the City and Country, it is hoped they will unite in the necessary Expence of rendering said Road fit for Travellers and Carriages, more especially since by said Law the publick Interest alone is regarded.

RUN-away from the subscriber, on Tuesday the 18th instant, an apprentice lad named JOHN FOSTER, by trade a blacksmith, about 17 years of age, born in Newark, in New-Jersey, about 5 feet 8 inches high, a good deal pitted with the smallpox, having had it this last winter; he had on when he went away, a blue frize coat bound with tape, a jacket of the same colour, and a pair of buck-skin breeches. Whoever takes up and secures the said apprentice, so that his master may have him again, shall have *Forty Shillings* reward, and all reasonable charges paid by

Robert Andrews.

New-York, June the 26th, 1765.

N. B. All masters of vessels and others are forewarn'd not to conceal, or carry him off, as they may depend they will answer for it, as the law directs.—*The New York Gazette or Weekly Post Boy, June 27, 1765.*

TO BE SOLD,

A Plantation, about a Mile and a Half from the Market House in Trenton, containing near 150 Acres, considerable good Meadow already cleared, and more may be

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made, several Springs in the same, and a good Run of Water goes through it, that is never dried up; an Apple and Peach Orchard of good Fruit; also a large Stone House in Trenton, built with Lime and Sand from the Foundation, preferable, in that Respect, to any House in said Town, with good Stable and Chaise houses, more convenient than any Tavern in the Place, a large Garden, an Out-house near it, with Cellar, Lodging Rooms, Wash-house and Oven, Smoke-house, and a good Well of Water at the Door. It has been a noted Tavern for 10 or 12 Years, and is now lett for one Year. The Plantation may be entered on directly. Any Person inclining to purchase, may have 4, 5 or 6 Years to pay for either, or both of them, allowing and paying Interest. For further Particulars, respecting the same, enquire of WILLIAM MORRIS, at Trenton, who will make a good Title to the whole.

RUN away from the Subscribers, on Sunday, the 9th of last Month, two likely Negroe Fellows, the one named Begill, about 5 Feet 10 Inches high, slim built, has been in the Country near 4 Years, speaks tolerable English for the Time, aged about 35 or 40 Years; had on, when he went away a Linsey Coat, of black and blue Colours mixed, with Brass Buttons, a Felt Hat, white Shirt, Sheepskin Breeches, Stockings of mixed Colours, and double soaled Shoes. The other named Jerry, aged about 25 Years, near the Height and Size of the former, has been in the Country about 3 Years, speaks very broken English; had on, when he went away, a striped Linsey Waistcoat, white Shirt, and narrow short Trowsers, old Shoes, no Stockings, an old Felt Hat, with a red String or Garter round the Crown. Whoever takes up the said Negroes, and brings them to the Subscribers, in Reading, in Hunterdon County, New Jersey, or secures them in any

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Goal, giving Notice to the said Owners, so that they may have them again, shall have Six Dollars Reward, and reasonable Charges, or Three Dollars for each, paid by SAMUEL HERRIOT, or LAWRENCE POOL.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1906, *July* 4, 1765.

PURSUANT to an Act of general Assembly of this Province of New-Jersey, lately passed, entituled "An Act for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors," Notice is hereby given to the respective Creditors of Jacob Arwine, Henry Snider, Jonathan Hunt, Thomas West, Lambert Brinck, William Bate, Timothy Twye, James Mallagin, Hugh Dunn, John Murphey, Francis Sedon, Thomas Gale, and James Loughead, insolvent Debtors, now confined in the Goal of Trenton, that the said Debtors intend to take the Benefit of the said Act, in order to their Discharge, and Friday, the 26th of July inst. is appointed by the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas, for the Creditors of the said Snider, Hunt, West, Brinck, Bate and Murphey, and Saturday, the 27th of July inst. is in the like Manner appointed for the Creditors of the said Arwine, Twye, Mallagin, Dunn, Sedon, Gale and Loughead, to meet at Trenton, to chuse Assignees to receive the Effects of the said Debtors, or shew Cause, if any they have, why the said Judges should not give them the Benefit of the above Act.

Trenton Goal, July 8, 1765.

Enquiry after a lost HUSBAND.

MAGDALENE BAYER, came into this Country, last Fall, with her Husband Erhard Bayer, and her Brother Hans Sax, but as she was Sick, and sent amongst others to the House provided for Sick, and during the Time of her Confinement there the Merchant's Cruelty was so great as to sell her Husband from her, but to whom, or to what Part of this Province, she cannot find out. And after her

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Recovery, to sell her, big with Child, to John Ray, living in Alloway's Creek Precinct, near the Glass-house, West New-Jersey. These are therefore to request any Person, who shall read the above and know any Thing of the foresaid Erhard Bayer or her Brother, to give Notice thereof to Richard Wistar, in Philadelphia, who will take Care to inform me thereof, and will very much oblige the distressed

MAGDALENE BAYER

RUN away from the Subscriber, in Chester Township, Burlington County, a Servant Lad, named Robert Bockford, about 20 Years of Age, 5 Feet 8 or 9 Inches high, wears his Hair, brown Complexion; had on ,when he went away, a new 30 Shilling Hat a new brown Camblet Coat, a Nankeen Jacket, a fine white Shirt and Neckcloth, a new Pair of black Knit Breeches, a new Pair of redish coloured Worsted Stockings, and new Shoes with Pinchbeck Buckles. Whoever takes up the said Servant, and secures him in any Goal, so as his Master may have him again, shall have Twenty Shillings Reward, and all reasonable Charges, paid by

WILLIAM COPPUCK.

RUN away from the Subscriber, living in Amwell Township, Hunterdon County, West Jersey, on the 20th of May last, a Negroe Man, named Sambo, about 30 Years of Age, near 6 Feet high, slim built, a single Mark on his Right Cheek; he is a new Negroe, and can speak but little English; he is very apt to speak the Words that are spoke to him again. It is supposed that he is either stolen or decoyed away. Whoever takes up said Negroe, so that his Master may have him again, shall have Three Pounds Reward; and if stolen, Ten Pounds, provided

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the Thief is brought to Justice, with reasonable Charges, paid by ISAIAH QUINBY

TO BE SOLD, by public Vendue, on the 27th of this inst. July, at Ten in the Morning, at the London Coffee-House, 2 small Tracts of located unimproved Land, situate in Great Egg-Harbour Township, West New-Jersey, near to each other; one containing 112 Acres, 3 or 4 Acres of which young Cedar Swamp, with a Stream of Water convenient for a Saw-mill. The other containing 51 Acres, timbered with Pine and Oak, about a Mile distant from the aforesaid Mill-place. Whoever inclines to purchase the same, may be further informed, by applying to Benjamin Sharpless, junior, living in Walnut-street, Philadelphia. The said Benjamin Sharpless requests that all Persons indebted to the Estate of Joseph Sharpless, junior, deceased, will make speedy Payment of the same, and all that have any Demands against the said Estate, are desired to meet at the Sign of the White Horse, in Elbow Lane, on the 7th Day of the 9th Month next, to receive their Dividend of said Estate, as far as it will go towards the Discharge of the same, where Attendance will be given by Benjamin Sharpless senior, and Benjamin Sharpless, junior, Administrators.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1907, *July* 11, 1765.

New-York, July 11. Some Months ago, an Account was published in the News Papers, of a Company of Men in Providence, unlawfully associated, and disguised, who undertook to punish all Matrimonial Trespasses that came to their Knowledge, and had assaulted a Man they suspected of wronging his Wife by too great a Familiarity with another Woman, with an Intent to make him ride *Skimmington*, that is upon a Pole, carried on Men's Shoulders; but were prevented from executing their De-

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sign, by the resolute Defence of the suspected Man, who killed one of them and dangerously wounded one or two more, which dissolved the Association:

A like Affair we hear has lately happen'd at Newark, only that it has not yet been attended with any fatal Consequences, which however should be a Warning to all Persons concern'd in such unlawful Enterprises—Such another Company of Disciplinarians, disguised, with black'd Faces, a few Days ago seized a Man of that Place, who was known to be jealous of his Wife; and upon a Supposition that his Jealousy was injurious to his Wife, they gave him a severe whipping: But afterwards, finding sufficient Proof of the Guilt of both the Woman and her Gallant, they gave each of them a still more severe whipping, and left them both tied all Night.

NEW-JERSEY.

WHEREAS the Legislature of this Province, at their Meeting in June last, did allow one Month and twenty Days pay to the Officers and Soldiers of the New-Jersey Regiment, commanded by Col. M'Donald, in the Year 1764, for being detained on Duty longer, as provided for by Law; & have appointed me the Subscriber for paying the same. These are therefore to give Notice, That I purpose to attend at Elizabeth-Town the 1st, at Bound-Brook, the 3d, and at Trent-Town the 6th Day of August next, for the Purposes aforesaid.

HENDRICK FISHER[1]

July the 1st, 1765.

N. B. I am not warranted to pay any Orders, unless properly attested before a Magistrate.

[1] For a brief sketch of Hendrick Fisher, see N. J. Archives, XIX., 390-391, note.

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New-Jersey, } ss. PURSUANT to an order of the
Middlesex, } worshipful *Thomas Gach,* and *James Parker,* Esqrs. two of the judges of the court of common pleas for the county of Middlesex, made the 8th day of this instant, July, *Peter Ten Eick,* of said county, an insolvent debtor, confined in the gaol of Perth-Amboy, doth hereby give notice to all the creditors of the said *Peter,* to shew cause, if any they have, by the 27th day of this instant July, at Perth-Amboy, why an assignment of the estate of the said *Peter* should not be made to John Johnston, Cornelius Low, jun. esqrs. and Joseph Furman of New-York, nominated by the said judges, to receive and dispose of the same, for the use of all the creditors to the said *Peter;* and the said *Peter* thereupon be discharg'd from his debts and confinement, according to the directions of an act of the governor, council, and general assembly of the province of New-Jersey, made and passed in the 5th year of his majesty's reign, entitled, *An act for the relief of insolvent debtors;* he the said *Peter* having taken the said oath, and complied with the directions in the said act mentioned.

New-Jersey, } ss. PURSUANT to an order of the
Middlesex, } worshipful *Thomas Gach,* and *James Parker,* esqrs. two of the judges of the court of common pleas for the county of Middlesex, made the 8th of this instant, July, *William Callander* of said county, an insolvent debtor, confined in the gaol of Perth-Amboy, doth hereby give notice to all the creditors of the said *William Callander,* to shew cause, if any they have, by the 27th of this instant July, at Perth-Amboy, why an assignment of the estate of the said *William Callander,* should not be made to David Gosling and Charles Rhodes, appointed by said judges, to receive and dispose of the same, for the use of all the creditors of the said *William*

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Callander, and he the said *William Callander* thereupon be discharged from his debts and his confinement, according to the directions of an act of the governor, council, and general assembly of the province of New-Jersey, made and passed in the fifth year of his majesty's reign, entitled, *An act for the relief of insolvent debtors;* he the said *Callender* having taken the oath, and complied with the directions in the said act mentioned.

New-Jersey, } ss.
Middlesex, }

PURSUANT to an order of the worshipful *Thomas Gach,* and *James Parker,* esqrs. two of the judges of the court of common pleas for the county of Middlesex, made the 8th of this instant, July, *Patrick O Hanlon,* of the said county, an insolvent debtor, confined in the gaol of Perth-Amboy, doth hereby give notice to all the creditors of the said *Patrick,* to shew cause, if any they have, by the 27th day of this instant, July, at Perth-Amboy, why an assignment of the estate of the said *Patrick* should not be made to Charles Rhodes and David Gosling, nominated by the said judges to receive and dispose of the same for the use of all the creditors of the said *Patrick,* and the said *Patrick* be thereupon discharged from his debts and his confinement, according to the directions of an act of the governor, council, and general assembly, of the province of New-Jersey, made and passed in the fifth year of his majesty's reign, entitled, *An act for the relief of insolvent debtors;* he the said *Patrick* having taken the oath, and complied with the directions in the said act mentioned.

New-Jersey, } ss.
Middlesex, }

PURSUANT to an order of the worshipful *Thomas Gach,* and *James Parker,* Esqrs. two of the judges of the court of common pleas for the county of Middlesex, made the 8th day of this instant, July, *George Davison,* of the said

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county, an insolvent debtor, confined in the gaol of Perth-Amboy, doth hereby give notice, to all the creditors of the said *George Davison* to shew cause, if any they have, by the 27th day of this instant, July, at Perth-Amboy, why an assignment of the estate of the said *George* should not be made to James Brooks, Esq; and Richard Carnes, nominated by the said judges to receive and dispose of the same for the use of all the creditors to the said *George,* and the said *George* thereupon be discharged from his debts and confinement, according to the directions of an act of the governor, council, and general assembly, of the province of New-Jersey, made and passed in the fifth year of his majesty's reign, entitled, *An act for the relief of insolvent debtors,* he the said *George* having taken the said oath, and complied with the directions in the said act mentioned.

New-Jersey, } ss.
Middlesex, }

PURSUANT to an order of the worshipful *Thomas Gach,* and *James Parker,* Esqrs. two of the judges of the court of common pleas, for the county of Middlesex; made the 8th day of this instant, July, *John Hutton,* of the said county, an insolvent debtor, confined in the gaol of Perth-Amboy, doth hereby give notice, to all the creditors of the said *John,* to shew cause, if any they have, by the 27th day of this instant, July, at Perth-Amboy; why an assignment of the said *John's* estate, should not be made to Robert King and John Waterhouse, nominated by the said judges, to receive and dispose of the same for the use of all the creditors to the said *John,* and the said *John* thereupon be discharged from his debts and imprisonment, according to the directions of an act of the governor, council, and general assembly, of the province of New-Jersey, made and passed in the fifth year of his majesty's reign, entitled, *An Act for the relief of insolvent*

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debtors; he the said *John* having taken the oath, and complied with the directions in the said act prescribed.

New-Jersey, } ss.
Middlesex, }

PURSUANT to an order of the worshipful *Thomas Gach,* and *James Parker,* Esqrs. two of the judges of the court of common pleas, for the county of Middlesex, made the 8th day of this instant, July, *Cornelius Van Debeck,* of the said county, an insolvent debtor, confined in the gaol of Perth-Amboy, doth hereby give notice, to all creditors of the said *Cornelius,* to shew cause, if any they have, by the 27th day of this instant, July, at Perth-Amboy, why an assignment of the said *Cornelius's* estate should not be made to Richard Carnes, nominated by the said judges, to receive and dispose of the same for the use of all the creditors to the said *Cornelius,* and the said *Cornelius* thereupon be discharged from his debts and confinement, according to the direction of an act of the governor, council, and general assembly, of the province of New-Jersey, made and passed in the fifth year of his majesty's reign, entitled, *An act for the relief of insolvent debtors;* he the said *Cornelius* having taken the oath, and complied with the directions in the said act mentioned.

New-Jersey, } ss.
Middlesex, }

PURSUANT to an order of the worshipful *Thomas Gach,* and *James Parker,* esqrs. two of the judges of the court of common pleas, for the county of Middlesex, made the 8th of this instant, July, *Michael Coon,* of said county, an insolvent debtor, confined in the gaol of Perth-Amboy, doth hereby give notice, to all the creditors of the said *Michael Coon,* to shew cause, if any they have, by the 27th day of this instant, July, at Perth-Amboy; why an assignment of the estate of the said *Michael,* should not be made to Henry Desbrow, and William Shanks, nominated by the

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said judges, to receive and dispose of the same, for the use of all the creditors of the said *Michael,* and the said *Michael* thereupon discharged from his debts and his confinement, according to the directions of an act of the governor, council, and general assembly of the province of New-Jersey, made and passed in the 5th year of his majesty's reign, entitled, *An Act for the relief of insolvent debtors;* he the said *Michael,* having taken the oath, and complied with the directions in the said act mentioned.—*The New York Gazette or Weekly Post Boy, July* 11, 1765.

To be sold at Public Vendue,

At the Court-House in Sussex County, on Tuesday the 26th of November next.

A Tract of Land lying in the Township of New-Town, in the County of Sussex, and Province of New-Jersey, on the head Branch of Pawlins Kill, and divided into the following Lots or Farms, viz.

No. 1.	168 Acres, in Possession of	Mathas Snook.
2	209	John Loder.
3	143	Not tenanted
5	250	Daniel & Colin M'Kennie
6	173	Leonard Weidner.
7	140	Elisha Robins.
8	157	
9	144	Benjamin Brewer.
10.	152	Nicholas Yost.
11.	211	Peter Cass.

This Tract of Land lies about Six Miles from Sussex Court House, and five from Andover Iron Works, which is a good Market for all Kinds of Country Produce; and the great Road to Goshen runs thro' it: It is exceeding

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well water'd by Springs and Brooks; well accommodated with Meadow Land, and fine Swamps, and a sufficient Quantity of Wheat Land, level and clear of Stones, and as good in Quality as any upland in Sussex County. One Sixth part of the Purchase Money to be paid on the 1st Day of May, 1766. One sixth on the first Day of November, 1766. One sixth on the first Day of May, 1767, all without Interest; and the remaining Three-sixths secured by a Mortgage, or other satisfactory Security, may be paid as may suit the Conveniency of the purchaser. The Lands will be shewn by Elisha Robins, living on the Premises, or Robert Allen; Living at Pepack, in Somerset County. And any Person choosing to Purchase at private Sale, may apply to said Robert Allen, who has a Power to agree for the same. The Title is indisputable, and good and sufficient Deeds will be given to the Purchasers, by

JAMES PARKER.

Middlesex County, } ss
New-Jersey, }

PURSUANT to orders from the worshipful Thomas Gach and James Parker, esqrs., two of the judges of the court of common pleas for the county of Middlesex, made on the 16th day of July instant. James Johnston, John Radley, Gilbert Barton, John Jobs, Charles Hartupes, John Collins, Briant Smith, John Kar, Joseph Kar, John Warden, and Philip Kelly, all insolvent debtors, now confined in the gaol of Perth-Amboy, do hereby give notice to all their creditors, that they shew cause, if any they have, on the 3d day of August next, at Perth-Amboy, why an assignment of each of the said insolvent's estate, should not be then made, to assignees nominated by the judges of the said court, or the majority in value of the

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said creditors to each, for the use and benefit of the said creditors respectively; and said insolvents be thereupon discharged from their debts and confinement, according to the directions of "An act of the governor, council, and general assembly of the province of New-Jersey, made and passed at Burlington in the fifth year of his majesty's reign, entitled, "An act for the relief of insolvent debtors; all the above mentioned insolvents having taken the oath, and complied with the directions in the said act mentioned.

July 16, 1765.

WHEREAS Samuel Higgins, John Knight, Benjamin Bolting-House, Edward Lewis, and John Vance, insolvent debtors, now confined in the gaol of the Free Borough and Town of Elizabeth; have, pursuant to a law of the province of New-Jersey, lately made for the relief of insolvent Debtors, exhibited their petition to William P. Smith, esq; mayor of the said borough, praying to be admitted to the said law, and have respectively delivered in writing upon oath, a full and true account of all their respective creditors, and of the monies respectively due and owing to them; and also a full and true account of their respective estates, both real and personal: Therefore, Notice is hereby given to the respective creditors of the abovenamed debtors, that they shew cause, if any they have, on the 9th day of August next, why an assignment of the said respective debtors' estate should not be made, and the debtors discharged agreeable to the said law.

July 15.

WHEREAS Bernardus Van Nest, Job Wood, and Frederick Barene, insolvent debtors, and now in actual gaol in the common gaol of the county of Essex,

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in the colony of New-Jersey, have presented their several petitions to us Thomas Clarke and Daniel Pierson, esqrs. two of the judges of the inferior court of common pleas for the county of Essex, praying the benefit of a late act of the governor, council, and general assembly of this colony of New-Jersey, entitled, An act for the relief of insolvent debtors: Notice is hereby given to the several and respective creditors of them the said Barnardus Van Nest, Job Wood, and Frederick Barene, that they be and appear before us the said judges, or any two of the judges of the said court, at the court-house in New-Ark, on Saturday the 10th day of August next, at 3 of the clock in the afternoon of the same day, to shew cause, if any they have, why assignments should not be made of the several estates, rights and credits of the said Barnardus Van Nest, Job Wood and Frederick Barene, for the use of their respective creditors; and why they, and every of them, should not be discharged from their imprisonment, according to the directions of the said act. Dated this 13th day of July 1765.

THOMAS CLARKE.
DANIEL PIERSON.

—*The New York Gazette or Weekly Post Boy, July* 18, 1765.

To be sold by the Subscriber, 110 Acres of Land, or thereabouts, situate and lying in Pilesgrove, Salem County, West New-Jersey; the Land is very good, and there is a Quantity of exceeding good Meadow, being well watered and timbered, with about 30 Acres of cleared Land, a good Dwelling-house, a Well of exceeding good Water and a small Orchard; it lies within Half a Mile of a good Grist mill, commodiously situate in the Heart of the Country. Any Person inclining to purchase the same,

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on paying Part of the Money down, may have a considerable Term of Years, to pay the rest, giving Security, if required. For Terms apply to JOHN HOLTON, in Front-street, in the District of Southwark. The Title is indisputable, and the Place may be entered on immediately.

RUN away from the Subscriber, living in Salem County, West New-Jersey, a Servant Man, named Christopher Bench, a well set Fellow, about 18 Years of Age, has brown Hair and Complexion, went in Company with one George Dreaper, supposed to be gone towards Maryland; had on and took with him, when he went away, a new Felt Hat, an old Kersey Jacket, with the Stripes across, and an old Linsey striped Ditto, two homespun Shirts, the one new, the other old, two Pair of homespun Trowsers, the one new, the other old. Whoever secures said Servant in any Goal, so that his Master may have him again, shall have Thirty Shillings Reward, and all reasonable Charges, paid by

JEREMIAH SMITH.

THE four following Persons, viz. William Mills of Cranberry, New-Jersey, John Wilson of Sadsbury, Lancaster County, Richard Sayres and Neal Herkins had Dealings in Philadelphia in the Years 1761 and 1762, since which the Persons to whom they stand indebted humbly requested, that any Person or Persons, that can give an Account of them, or either of them, will be so kind as to send us a Line of Information to the Subscribers in Philadelphia, which will be an Act of Benevolence, and esteemed as a Favour, it being supposed that either they are dead, and their Effects fallen into the Hands of those who would be satisfied to keep them, or that they have absconded from their usual Places of Abode to avoid paying their just Debts, which in either Case it is hoped

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no Lover of Honesty, that has any Knowledge of them, will be backward in giving Information.

PUSEY and GIBBONS.

N. B. There has been some uncertain Accounts, that Sayres was in Virginia, and that Herkins died in some part of North-Carolina. Wilson is supposed to be in some Part of Maryland, Sayres and Herkins were Pedlars, Mills a Shop-keeper, and Wilson a Horse Jockey.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1908, *July* 18, 1765.

Hunterdon County, ss.

Pursuant to an Act of General Assembly of this Province of New-Jersey, lately passed, intituled "An Act for the Relief of insolvent Debtors," Notice is hereby given to the respective Creditors of Moses Easty, Thomas Carroll, Thomas Cahill, Alexander Rogers, John Black, Henry Studred, John Oliphant, and Caleb Fairly, insolvent Debtors, now confined in the Goal of Trenton, that the said Debtors intend to take the Benefit of the said Act, in order to their Discharge; and Friday, the 2d Day of August next, is appointed by the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas, for the Creditors of the said Easty, Carroll, Cahill and Rogers, and Saturday, the 3d Day of August next, is appointed in like Manner for the Creditors of said Black, Studred, Oliphant and Fairley, to meet at Trenton, to choose Assignees to receive the Effects of the said Debtors, or shew Cause, if any they have, why the said Judges should not give them the Benefit of the above Act.

Trenton, July 15, 1765.

NEW-JERSEY, ss.

By the Honourable CHARLES READ, Esq; one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of His Majesty's Province of New-Jersey,

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To all Sheriffs, Constables, and other Officers, to whom the Execution hereof doth or shall belong.

WHEREAS Joseph Burr hath this Day made Information, on his Affirmation, that last Night, between the Hours of 11 and 12, his the said Burr's House, in Northampton, in the County of Burlington, was entered by three Men, to him unknown, armed with Guns, and having their Faces painted, and lighted Candles, who, by Threats, forced from his Wife the Keys of his Drawers, and took from thence some Money, a Silver Sauceboat, 8 Silver Table Spoons, 9 Silver Tea Spoons, some of them marked $I^{I}B$, a considerable Quantity of Shirts, Aprons, Caps and Handkerchiefs, with a great Parcel of the wearing Apparel of him the said Joseph Burr, made in the Manner usual among the People called Quakers; that one of them was a very lusty Man, another middle sized, the other shorter. One is supposed to have passed by the Name of John Johnston, who wore a Beaver Hat, Leather Breeches, with broad Knee Bands, and Buckles. Another by the Name of John Maguire, wore a Beaver Hat, Check Shirt, and had black curled Hair. The third supposed to be John Fagen, had a Hat half worn, Check Shirt, and striped Trowsers. They all had the Brogue on their Tongues; it is suposed they have stolen the following Creatures, a large sorrel Horse, 14 Hands high, a Blaze in his Face, one white Foot behind, branded on the Shoulder with the Figure of 9, a large Mane, hanging on the off Side, a natural Pacer. A dark bay Horse, a little white on his hind Foot, a natural Pacer, remarkably heavy in his Gait, 14 Hands and a Half high. A Mare nearly black, 6 Years old, a small Star in the Forehead, one white Foot, paces, trots and gallops. They are supposed to have with them three small Arms, one a French made Barrel, 8 square for about a Foot from the Breech,

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long Barrel, and small Bore, stock split, and drawn together near the Muzzel with Brass Wire, a Silver Thumb-piece, with a Star on it, and Silver Sight; the Gun stolen from Stephen Brooks. The aforesaid three suspected Persons have for two Months past chiefly worked about Mountholly.

These are therefore to command you forthwith to raise the Power of the Towns within your several Counties, and to make diligent Search therein for the Persons above described, and to make fresh Pursuit, and Hue and Cry after them, from Town to Town, and from County to County, as well by Horsemen as Footmen, and to give due Notice hereof in Writing, describing, in such Notice, the Persons, and Offence aforesaid, unto every next Constable on every Side, until they shall come to the Sea Shore, or until the said Malefactors shall be apprehended; and all Persons whom you or any of you shall, as well upon such Search and Pursuit, as otherwise apprehend, or cause to be apprehended, as justly suspected for having committed the said Robbery and Felony, that you do carry forthwith before some one of His said Majesty's Justices of the Peace, in and for the County where he or they shall be so apprehended, to be by such Justice examined, and dealt withal according to Law. And hereof fail you not respectively, upon the Peril that shall ensue thereon.

Given under my Hand and Seal, at Burlington, the Nineteenth Day of July, 1765.

CHARLES READ

Trenton Ferry, July 24, 1765.

LEFT at the House of Nathaniel Parker, at Trenton Ferry, by one Mr. Levey, a sorrel Horse, the Property of Mr. John Graims, of Elizabeth-Town; and as I have requested both those Gentlemen to take him away, these are to assure them that he will positively be sold for his

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Charges, in ten Days from this Day, if not taken away before.

NATHANIEL PARKER.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1909, *July* 25, 1765.

New-Jersey, } ss.
Middlesex County, }

PURSUANT to orders from Thomas Gach and James Parker, esqrs. two of the judges of the court of common pleas for the county of Middlesex, made on the 18th day of July instant, John Sperling, John Lot, Daniel Britton, Robert Merton, James Patten, and Matthias Iseltine, all insolvent debtors, now confined in the gaol of Perth-Amboy, do hereby give notice to all their creditors, that they shew cause, if any they have, on the 10th day of August next, at Perth-Amboy, why an assignment of each of the said insolvent's estates, should not be then made, to assignees nominated by the judges of the said court, or the majority in value of the said creditors to each, for the use and benefit of the said creditors respectively; and the said insolvents be thereupon discharged from their debts and confinement, according to the directions of "An act of the governor, council, and general assembly of the province of New-Jersey, made and passed at Burlington in the fifth year of his majesty's reign, entitled, "An act for the relief of insolvent debtors," all the above mentioned insolvents having taken the oath, and complied with the directions in the said act mentioned.

List of Letters remaining in the GENERAL POST-OFFICE, New-York, July 6, 1765.

. . . . Vincent-Pierce Ashfield. . . . .—*The New York Gazette or Weekly Post Boy, July* 25, 1765.

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PURSUANT to an order made by Robert Smith and Thomas Rodman Esquires, two of the judges of the court of Common Pleas, for the county of Burlington; upon the petition of John Willson, Jacob Cook, and John Doughty, insolvent debtors: Notice is hereby given by the petitioners, to all the creditors of the said John Willson, Jacob Cook, and John Doughty, to shew cause (if any there be) before the said judges, at the court-house in Burlington, on saturday the 27th of this present July, at 3 o'Clock in the afternoon, of the same day, being the day and place by the said judges appointed for that purpose why an assignment of the said John Willson, Jacob Cook and John Doughty's estates should not be made, and the said John Willson, Jacob Cook, and John Doughty, be thereupon discharged from their imprisonment, according to the directions of an act of the governor, council, and general assembly of the province of New-Jersey, made and passed in the fifth year of his present majesty's reign, entitled an act for the relief of insolvent debtors.

New Jersey, July 11.

WHEREAS, the Legislature of this province, at their meeting in June last, did allow one month and twenty days pay to the officers and soldiers of the New-Jersey regiment, commanded by Coll. M'Donald, in the year 1764, for being detained on duty longer, than provided for by law; and have appointed me, the subscriber, for paying the same. These are therefore to give notice that I purpose to attend at Elizabeth Town the 1st, at Bound Brook the 3d, and at Trenton the 6th day of August next, for the purpose aforesaid.

HENDRICK FISHER.

N. B. I am not warranted to pay any orders unless properly attested before a magistrate.

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We hear from Northampton, Burlington-county, New-Jersey, that, in the night of the 18th inst. between 11 and 12 o'clock, three men armed with guns, with their faces painted, entered the house of Joseph Burr, and by threats forced from his wife the keys of the drawers, &c. from whence they took money, plate, and sundry other things, with which they made off on three horses which they had stole. The country being alarmed they were pursued and overtaken on Sunday the 20th, in the woods, about ten miles from Crosswicks, where two of them had fell asleep, being overcome by the liquor they had drank the night before; the other, whom in a quarrel that morning they had beat in a shocking manner, was sitting near them. They were all secured before they had time to make any resistance, and in the evening were safely lodged in Burlington goal. The horses and all the other things, except some of the money, was recovered. They confessed the facts, and say they belonged to a large gang, many of whom were in Philadelphia and New-York.

As Iron Works where the ore is good and the carriage easy, with sufficient wood and water, are esteemed as valuable and permanent estates as any in America.

CHARLES READ,[1] of Burlington, gives notice to the public, that he is possessed of several tracts of land, having in them streams of water, as constant and as governable as can be wished, and the following conveniences;

A PLACE for a furnace, remarkable and advantageous in situation, the stream sufficient in the driest time. Two stone hills at two miles distance from the place for erecting the furnace. Ore sufficient, to be drawn at three miles and an half, and flux if wanted easy to be come at: The portage to his landing on the side of the south west branch

[1] For sketches of Charles Read, see N. J. Archives, IX., 151; X., 426. A much fuller sketch is given in "Members of the New Jersey Assembly, 1754," by William Nelson, Paterson, 1896, pp. 14-16.

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of Ancocas five miles and an half: And to this work he will allot the Coal Wood of eight thousand acres of land, and if that is not esteemed sufficient he will add more. A place for a forge on a plentiful and steady stream thought sufficient to carry four bellows and two hammer wheels not three miles from the furnace, which will have great command of wood, and not interfere with the furnace tract, the portage from the forge nearly the same as from the furnace; this work will be within twenty miles of Cooper's ferry, opposite Philadelphia, a boat comes up within 2 & 1-2 miles of the furnace and forge, and carries equal to eleven tons of iron down the stream, and has done it in June, 1765, although the season is dry and the boat not well constructed for the purpose; an offer has been made to clear out the creek, so that she may perform it at all times, for Fifty pounds. Another place for a forge or bloomery with four fires and two hammers: The stream esteemed sufficient all the year, and in winter it has water to spare: The cartage of the ore one mile or thereabouts: To this work will be allotted the Coal Wood of four thousand acres, and more may be had: The cartage of the iron eleven miles to a cheap water carriage to New-York or Philadelphia. Another constant stream capable to drive four bellows and two hammer wheels, where also a furnace may be erected, the ore very handy and a scow of ten tons may come to the works and carry the produce two miles to vessels frequently going to New-York, New-England, and Philadelphia: To this work will be allotted the Coal Wood of eight thousand acres; it is thought the ore may be raised for one shilling a ton, and that a team of six oxen will draw two tons, as the roads are good and country level. There is at all these places plenty of food for the cattle from the middle of May to the middle of October. Each stream will raise a considerable head of water, so as to enable them to turn off a great deal of

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work, nor are any of them very hasty and ungovernable. The ore has been viewed by two judicious iron masters, who have followed the business many years with reputation and success, and their opinions of it may be seen by a letter in the hands of Mr. Bradford, who has also certificates of the quality of the iron from competent judges. The iron may be seen at Capt. Burnet Richards's in Philadelphia, who was also present at the trial made of it.

As Mr. Read's situation renders it inconvenient to him to take upon himself the expence or care of works so extensive, he notifies to the public that it will be agreeable to him to let the conveniences to any gentleman of credit reserving a share of the produce, or to enter into a partnership with any persons of good dispositions, fortune and integrity. He may be treated with on the subject at Philadelphia, or at his own house at Burlington. Thomas Asheton at said Read's mill on Ancocas, or Emanuel Straton at Pricket's mill, will shew the ore and situation, to any person who inclines to view them. The goodness of the Iron, the visible quantity of the ore, the extraordinary situation, joined to the very easy land and water carriage, and its vicinity to Philadelphia, and easy carriage from the two last mentioned works to New-York, give works erected here a preference to any on the continent.

RUN-AWAY, on the 21st instant, from the subscriber, living in the town and county of Gloucester, and province of West New-Jersey; A servant man named Daniel Minuvet, aged thirty-one years, about five feet five or six inches high, pretty thick set, and has a down look, gray eyes, one tooth out before, has D. M. marked on his right hand between his fore finger and thumb, he will get drunk if he can get liquor; wears his own hair of a brownish colour, had on and took with him, an oldish light coloured cloth coat, a black callimanco Jacket, a fine and brown

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homespun shirt, with a pair of striped and a pair of tow trowsers, an old felt hat, a pair of blue gray worsted stockings, half worn shoes run down at the heel, with large square brass buckles in them. Whoever takes up the said servant and secures him so that his master may have him again shall have THREE POUNDS Reward and reasonable charges paid by me

JOHN MICKLE.

All Masters of Vessels are forewarned carrying him off, as they may expect to answer it at their peril.

IN PURSUANCE of an order, made by the honourable Charles Read, Esq; one of the justices of the supreme court of Judicature, of the province of New-Jersey, upon the petition of Rowland Ellis, an insolvent debtor: Notice is hereby given by the petitioner, to all the creditors of the said Rowland Ellis, to shew cause (if any they have) before the said justice, at his house in the city of Burlington, on Monday the 29th day of July instant, at four o'clock in the afternoon of the same day, being the day and place appointed by the said justice for that purpose, why an assignment of the said Rowland Ellis's estate should not be made, and the said Rowland Ellis be thereupon discharged from his imprisonment, according to the directions of an act of the governor, council, and general assembly of the province of New Jersey, made and passed in the fifth year of his present majesty's reign, entituled an act for the relief of insolvent debtors.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1181, *July* 25, 1765.

New-York, August 1. On Monday last came to Town from Canada, Charles Stewart, Esq; Surveyor-General of the Customs for N. York, New-Jersey, Pennsylvania and Canada.

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TO BE SOLD,

ONE half of a full share or patentee right in Minisink patent; any person inclining to purchase, may apply to David Jamison, living at a place called New-Market, near the mills, formerly called Mercer's mills, now belonging to Mr. Jacob Dunn, in the upper part of Piscataqua township, in the province of East New-Jersey; or to James Duane, Esq; in New-York.

NOTICE is hereby given to whom it may concern, That Thomas Williams, David Griffes, Hendrick Hendrickson, Daniel Tilton, Robert White, James Kelsy, John Boltinghouse, Micajah Ketcham, John Shepherd, Benjamin Beears, Humphry Mount, Thomas Potter, John Davison, Samuel Layton, and Nicholas Vandervert, prisoners in the gaol of the county of Monmouth; having exhibited their several petitions and schedules to the court, and took their oath according to the late act of assembly; upon which it is ordered by the said court, that the said petitions and schedules be filed, and that the said prisoners do give notice, pursuant to the act of assembly, for their creditors to appear at the court-house of said county, on Tuesday the 10th day of September next, to shew cause why the petitioners should not be assigned, and the said debtors discharged according to law.

July the 25th, 1765.

—*The New York Gazette or Weekly Post Boy, August* 1, 1765.

The three Men, mentioned in the Hue and Cry in our last, for breaking into the House of Joseph Burr, are all taken, and secured in Burlington Goal; they have confessed the Robbery, and say that they belonged to a numerous and dangerous Gang, some of which were in New York, and others in this City. . . . And last

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Week several Men and Women were taken up here, and committed to Goal, supposed to be Part of the same Gang; one of whom, named Brown, was reprieved under the Gallows at Burlington some time ago.

To the PUBLIC,

WHEREAS I have, by an Advertisement, offered a Reward of One Hundred Dollars for taking up and securing Hugh M'Can, alias Johnson, and as the said M'Can was at St. Eustatia, out of my Reach, and returned to Philadelphia of his own Accord, where, finding that he was advertised, he shut himself up, in order to save the Reward that I had offered, and sent me a Letter by an Express, desiring that I would send him a Protection, that he might safely surrender himself to me, which he voluntarily did, and has convinced me, that he had no Intention of defrauding by the Voyage he had taken: I therefore, in Justice to Mr. M'Can's Reputation, think proper thus publicly to acquit him of what I then thought him guilty of, as I shall not suffer one Forthing by his Voyage to the West Indies.

SAMUEL TUCKER, Sheriff.

TO BE SOLD,

A Well finished Brick House, Kitchen and Lot of Land, containing about three Quarters of an Acre, with Barn, Stables, &c. together with several Lots of Meadow and Pasture Lands. Also one other House and Barn, with 17 Acres of excellent Land, 8 Acres of which is Orchard, Meadow and Garden, the Remainder good Woodland, all situated in Trenton. For further Particulars, enquire of William Pidgeon, who will give any reasonable Time for Payment of the Purchase Money.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1910, *August* 1, 1765.

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FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

MADE his Escape out of Philadelphia Prison, a certain Cornelius Clark, on or about the Month of September, in the Year 1762. It is thought that he is near Elizabeth Town, in East New-Jersey, as he has a Brother and other Relations living at, or near, a certain Place called Ash Swamp; he is a thin spare Man, long sharp Nose, thin visaged, and about 5 Feet 10 Inches high; his Age about 35 or 36 Years; when he went away he wore long Hair, of a darkish brown Colour, and used to live in a Swamp, and followed the Weaving Business with a Brother he had there, but in New-York followed the Ship Carpenter's Business. Whoever apprehends the said Runaway, and secures him in any of His Majesty's Goals, till Information be given to James Alexander, Turnkey, shall be entitled to the above Reward, and if returned to Philadelphia Prison, shall receive said Reward, and all reasonable Charges, from WILLIAM PARR, Sheriff, or JAMES ALEXANDER, Turnkey.

STOLEN, on the Night of the 27th of July last, from the Subscriber of Alexandria, Hunterdon County, West-Jersey, a pale brown Horse, about 14 Hands high, trots, well made, but something Hip-shot on the off Side, branded P on the near Thigh, about 18 Years old, but looks young, some grey under the Mane, the fore Part of his Mane short, and some white in his Forehead, likewise in the Middle of his Face, and on his Nose. Whoever secures the Horse, so that the Owner gets him again, shall have Forty Shillings Reward, paid by

HENRY STOLL.

Burlington, July 20, 1765.

IN Custody of the Subscriber, a certain Alexander Mosley about 16 or 17 Years of Age, confesses himself to

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be Servant to Captain George Nickelson, in Philadelphia. His Master, if any he has, is desired to pay Charges, and take him away in two Weeks, otherwise he will be sold for the same, by me

EPHRAIM PHILLIPS, Goaler.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1911, *August* 8, 1765.

Perth-Amboy, August the 5th, 1765.

IN the Custody of the Subscriber, two Negro Men, the one a yellow Fellow, named Jack, the other black, named Ezekiel, They say their Master's Name is JACOB STARNE, and that he is Owner of a Forge on Muskenecunk. Their Master is desired to pay Charges and take them away.

RICHARD CARNS, Goaler.

—*The New York Gazette or Weekly Post Boy, August* 8, 1765.

New-York, August 15. On Tuesday the Week before last, one of the Borden-Town Stage Waggoners, named Bliss, on returning home from Amboy Ferry, endeavoured to get before one of the other Waggons, and turning out of the Road for that Purpose, run against a small Stump, by which he was flung out of the Waggon, and the Wheel going over his Head, crush'd it instantly, and kill'd him, without his speaking a Word—Ambition produces ill Effects in all Stations of Life !

And the next Day, a Waggoner going thro' Arney's-Town in New-Jersey, fell out of his Waggon, and the Waggon pass'd over his Breast; He was taken up alive; and an Attempt made to bleed him, but he died in less than Half an Hour. These Instances are inserted as Cautions to others.

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Province of New-Jersey, August 8, 1765.

BY a Law passed the 20th of June last, Commissioners were appointed to run out straight public Roads leading through said Province, between New-York and Philadelphia, and empowering them to raise a Sum of Money by a public Lottery, not exceeding £. 500, towards defraying the Charge thereof; and agreeable to said Law, the Scheme of a Lottery is now advertiz'd, consisting of 2222 Tickets at 4 Dollars each; 662 of which are to be fortunate as follows:

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100		10		1000
485		8		3880
1st	Drawn	14		14
1	Last Drawn	14		14
662	Prizes			
1560	Blanks			
2222	Tickets, at 4 Dollars each, are			8888 £. 3333

From which a deduction of 15 per Cent. is £. 499, 19. 0, and is proposed to be drawn on Tuesday the 3d Day of December next, at Perth-Amboy, or sooner if full: The fortunate Numbers are to be printed in the New-York and Pennsylvania Gazettes, as soon as possible after the Draw-

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ing, which will be directed by John Stevens,[1] James Parker[2] of Perth-Amboy; John Wetherill[3] of the Township of New-Brunswick; Daniel Ellis of Burlington, and John Edwards of Bordentown, who are appointed Managers and Commissioners for the Road leading from the Ferry-house, opposite Perth-Amboy, to Burlington; and John Berrien, of Rocky-hill; Daniel Coxe,[4] of Trentown; Azariah Dunham, of New-Brunswick; Ephraim Terrill,[5] and Abraham Clark, jun.[6] of Elizabeth-Town; who are likewise appointed Managers, and Commissioners for the Road leading from Newark and Elizabeth-Town, to Trenton and Borden-Town, agreeable to said Act; and are to be under Oath for the due and impartial Performance of their Duties.

The shortening and improving the public Roads through this Province, will be a great Advantage to the commercial Interest and general Convenience of the Inhabitants thereof, as well as a very general Advantage to the Neighbouring Province, particularly to Pennsylvania and New-York; and as it is the first Thing of the Kind that has been attempted on the Continent, it is not doubted but every public spirited Person in this, as well as the Neighbouring Provinces, will generously contribute to an Undertaking, tending so greatly to the Advantage and Ease of Men of Business and Pleasure; as it is judged the Distance between New-York and Philadelphia will be shorten'd 12 or 15 Miles, and the Roads all made more passable and convenient for Travellers in the Winter Season than the Present.

Tickets are to be had of Daniel Ellis, of Burlington,

[1] The fullest sketch of John Stevens will be found in the N. Y. Gen. and Biog. Record, XV., 145-150.

[2] For a sketch of James Parker, see N. J. Archives, IX., 446, note.

[3] See N. J. Archives, XIX., 390, note.

[4] See N. J. Archives, X., 226-7, note.

[5] See N. J. Archives, XX., 527, note.

[6] Signer of the Declaration of Independence.

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Daniel Coxe of Trenton, James Parker of Perth-Amboy, and Abraham Clark, jun. of Elizabeth-Town, and of all the other Managers in Jersey, at their respective Dwellings

WHEREAS Samuel Provoost, George Tearman, Peter Van Norden, and John Johannisse Banta, insolvent debtors, in the common goal of the county of Bergen have presented their several petitions to us, Rynear Van Giesen, and Peter Zobrisko, two of the judges of the inferior court of common pleas for the county of Bergen, praying the benefit of a late act of the governor, council and general assembly of the colony of New-Jersey entitled, *An act for the relief of insolvent debtors;* notice is hereby given, to the several and respective creditors of them the said Samuel Provoost, George Tearman, Peter Van Norden, and John Johannisse Banta, that they be and appear before us, the judges, or any two of the judges of the said court, at the court-house in New-Barbadoes, on Saturday the 31st inst. at 3 o'clock in the afternoon of the same day, to shew cause, (if any they have) why an assignment should not be made of the several estates, rights, and credits, of the said Samuel Provoost, George Tearman, Peter Van Norden, and John Johannisse Banta, for the use of the respective creditors; and why they, and every of them, should not be discharged from their imprisonment, according to the directions of the said act.

Dated the 6th of August, 1765.

New-Jersey, } ss.
Middlesex, }

NOTICE is hereby given, to whom it may concern, that John Warden, Philip Kelly, Robert Marten, John Jobs, John Col-

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lins, John Radley, Jonathan Shepard, Gilbert Barton, James Johnston, Briant Smith, John Lott, Joseph Barranger, Matthew Iselton, John Carr, James Patton, Charles Artope, and Daniel Britton, all prisoners confined in the goal at Perth-Amboy, having exhibited their several petitions and schedules to the court, which are lodged in the hands of Stephen Skinner, esq; and took the oaths according to the late act of assembly; it is ordered by the said court, that the said prisoners do give notice, pursuant to the act of assembly, for their creditors to appear at the court house aforesaid, on Saturday the 31st day of this inst. August; to shew cause, (if any they have) why an assignment of the said prisoner's estates should not be made to assignees appointed for that purpose, and the said prisoners be discharged according to law.

TO be sold at public vendue, the sixth day of September next, belonging to the estate of John Lippincott, late of the town of Shrewsbury, deceased, a new, neat two story dwelling house, with about eight acres of good land adjoining, a barn, out houses, well, and other improvements thereon; situate a mile from the center of said town, at the meeting of two very public roads, and a few rods from a grist and saw mill. Also 20 acres of woodland near the above.

All persons indebted to the said estate, are desired to pay the same, and those who have any demands against it to bring them in, in order, that they may be settled.

JOSEPH POTTER
RICHARD LAWRENCE } Executors.

NOTICE is hereby given, to whom it may concern, That Mathias Van Horne, Matthew Roberts, James Vanhuyse and Joseph Harbour, prisoners in the gaol of

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the county of Monmouth, having exhibited their several petitions and schedules to Job Anderson and John Wordel, Esqrs. two of his majesty's judges of the inferior court of common pleas for said county, and took their oaths according to the late act of assembly; upon which it is ordered by the said judges, that the said petitions and schedules be filed; and that the said prisoners do give notice, pursuant to the act of assembly, for their creditors to appear at the Court House of said county, on Tuesday the 10th day of September next, to shew cause why the petitioners estates should not be assigned, and the said debtors discharged according to law.

August 8, 1765.

New-Jersey } ss.
Middlesex }

PURSUANT to an order of the honourable Charles Reade, and John Berrian, esqrs judges of the supreme court of the province of New-Jersey, upon the petition of George Campbell, an insolvent debtor, confined in the goal of the county of Middlesex; notice is hereby given, to all the creditors of the said George Campbell, to shew cause, (if any they have) before the said judges; on Friday the 6th day of September next, at 12 o'clock of the same day, at the house of Pontius Stelle, in Trentown; why an assignment of the estate of the said George Campbell, should not be made to such persons as shall be then nominated by the said judges, pursuant to the prayer of the said petition, and the said George be thereupon discharged agreeable to the directions of an act of the governor, council, and general assembly, of this province, made this present year, entitled, *An act for the relief of insolvent debtors.*

Dated August the 9th, 1765.

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TO BE SOLD,

THE large and commodious dwelling-house of *Barnaby Stute,* situated in Elizabeth-Town, in the province of New-Jersey, together with a fit and convenient garden, and about one acre of land adjoining the same, whereon is built a good barn and stable. The said house was built about 3 years ago, is two stories high, with four rooms on a floor, and a fire place in each room; is neatly and compleatly finished, together with a good kitchen and cellar.

Also to be sold or let, by the said Barnaby Stute the house wherein John Graham lately kept tavern, situated in the center of said town, near the stone-bridge, very handy to mill and market, together with a convenient garden and about one acre of land adjoining, whereon is built a large barn and stable; the said house contains 8 rooms with a fire place in each, besides a very large and convenient kitchen and cellar. It is thought to be the best situated house in town for a tavern, and is very convenient for a merchant or any other business.

The said Barnaby Stute will also sell several valuable lots of land, fit for pasture, plowing, and meadow, lying in and near said town, very handy for the purchasers of either of the above houses.

Any person inclining to purchase the above, may know the terms by applying to said Barnaby Stute, or to Thomas Clark and George Ross, of the said town.

SIR WILLIAM JOHNSON, Bart.

gives this public Notice, That in Consequence of his Treaty in May last, with the *Senecas* and *Delawares* of Susquehanna, the following Twenty-five Persons have been sent to him, who will be delivered to their Relations on Application. . . . . .

. . . . Names unknown.

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Two young Women about 16 or 18 Years of Age, taken about 8 or 9 Years ago, supposed to belong to New-Jersey. Two Children they had by Indians. . . . . —*The New York Gazette or Weekly Post Boy, August* 15, 1765.

BOSTON, *August* 3.

LIST *of persons appointed by Treasury Warrant Distributors of Stamps in America.*

Collin Drummond, Esq; Quebec.
John Makenzie, Esq; Montreal and Trois Riviers.
——— Hienselwood, Esq; Nova Scotia.
George Meserve Esq; New Hampshire.
Andrew Oliver, Esq; Massachusetts Bay.
Augustus Johnston, Esq; Rhode Island.
Jarod Ingersoll, Esq; Connecticut.
James M'Evers, Esq; New York.
William Coxe, Esq; New Jersey.
John Hughes, Esq; Pennsylvania.
Zachariah Hood, Esq; Maryland.
Colonel Mercer, Virginia.
Thomas Graham, Esq; East Florida.
Jacob Blackwell, Esq; West Florida.
———Slater, Esq; the Attorney General, Bermudas.
——— Whitehead, Esq; Barbados.
Robert Seamen, Esq; Granada.
——— Tucker, Esq; St. Christophers.
John Howel, Esq; Jamaica.

Sunday morning last between 3 and 4 o'clock, we had as hard a shower of rain, as has been known here, for this several years, which did considerable damage, by filling cellars, and spoiling rum, sugar, tea, dry goods, &c. to the amount of some hundred pounds.

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We hear the above shower has broken down and carried away a great number of meadow banks, along the River.

We likewise hear, that in the same shower, the ship Planter, George Parmer, Master from Tortola for this port, ran ashore on Cape-May, but has since got off with the loss of her rudder.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1184, *August* 15, 1765.

Cumberland County goal, August 15.

PURSUANT to an act of the general assembly of the province of New Jersey, intituled an act for the relief of insolvent debtors: Notice is hereby given to the creditors of Isaac Smith a distressed prisoner, for debt now confined in said goal, that the said debtor intends to take the benefit of said act, in order to be discharged from his confinement; and Friday the thirtieth of this instant, is appointed by the judges of this court for said creditors, to meet at Cohansey bridge, to chuse assignees to receive the effects, or shew cause why the judges should not allow him the benefit of said act.

TO BE LET

For one year or for a term of years, by the subscriber in Greenwick township, Cumberland county, and province of New-Jersey;

A GOOD frame house, one story and a half high, three rooms on a floor; fourteen acres of cleared land well watered, a good apple and peach orchard, and plenty of fire wood within half a mile of the premises. Also a good shop where the hatters trade has been carried on this twenty years, (well situated for the business) with a compleat sett of hatters tools for carrying on said trade; Any

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person inclining to rent the same may know the terms by applying to the subscriber, living near the premises.

ISAAC FITHIAN.

—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1184, *August* 15, 1765.

Captain Waterman, from Nantucket, spoke a Brig from Glasgow for New York, off of Egg-Harbour.

*** WILLIAM AIREY, the New-Jersey Post Rider, finding the Subscription from his Employers not sufficient to support him, has declined riding that Stage any longer; the Gentlemen who had their News-papers sent by him, are therefore requested to let the Printers know (if they choose to continue them) how they should be forwarded.

New Jersey, ss.

PURSUANT to an order of the honourable Charles Read, and John Berien, Esquires, Justices of the Supreme Court of the said province, upon the petition of Henry Snider, Jacob Arnwine, James Loughead, William Bunn, James Mulligan, Michael Van court and George Bright, insolvent debtors, confined in the goal of the county of Hunterdon, Notice is hereby given to the respective creditors of the said prisoners that Friday, the 6th day of September next, is appointed for their discharge, pursuant to the late Act of Assembly for the relief of insolvent debtors, the said prisoners having given in inventories upon oath, according to the said act. Notice is also hereby given to the creditors of Joseph Morell, an insolvent debtor, in the said goal, upon his petition, and that of the major part in value of his creditors, to the Judges of the Common-pleas of the said county, that the same day, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, is appointed for the meeting of his creditors. All persons who have any thing to object to the discharge

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of the above prisoners, are, at the time above mentioned, desired to attend at Trenton, and shew cause, if any they have, why they should not be admitted to the benefit of the said act.

Gloucester County, August 12, 1765.

PURSUANT to an act of general assembly, lately passed, intituled "an act for the relief of insolvent debtors," Peter Cownover, Henry Larman, Jonathan Kimsey, Caleb Hewet, David Saram and Ephraim Bonham, insolvent debtors, now confined in Gloucester goal, do hereby give notice, that they the said Peter Cownover, Henry Larman, Jonathan Kimsey, Caleb Hewet, David Saram, and Ephraim Bonham, intend to take the benefit of the said act, in order to their discharge; and the judges of the inferior court of common pleas for the County aforesaid, have appointed Saturday, the 7th of September next, for the creditors of the abovementioned insolvent debtors to meet at Gloucester, to shew cause, if any they have, why an assignment of the said debtors estates should not be made, and said debtors discharged, according to the form and effect of the said act.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1912, *August* 15, 1765.

On Tuesday last, at a Court of Oyer and Terminer, held at Burlington, came on the Trials of the three Men (mentioned in Number 1909 of this Paper) for breaking into the House of Joseph Burr of Northampton, in Burlington County, when they were all found Guilty, and received Sentence of Death; which Sentence, we hear, will be put in Execution on Wednesday next. The above mentioned Men have made two Attempts to break Goal, and last Monday Morning had near effected it, having got off their Irons, and made a Hole in the Wall, large

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enough to get out at, but were discovered by the Watch, just as every Thing was ready for their Escape.

Hunterdon, ss. Trenton, August 19, 1765.

PURSUANT to an Act of General Assembly, lately passed, intituled, "An Act for the Relief of insolvent Debtors," Robert Taylor, junior, Abraham Clemons, John Brown, and John Sedam, insolvent Debtors, now confined in Trenton, in the County of Hunterdon, do hereby give notice, that the said Robert Taylor, junior, Abraham Clemons, John Brown and John Sedam, intend to take the Benefit of the said Act, in order to their Discharge; and the Judges of the Inferior Court of Common Pleas, for the County aforesaid, have appointed Friday the sixth Day of September next, at Ten o'Clock in the Morning, for the Creditors of the aforesaid Robert Taylor, junior, Abraham Clemons, John Brown and John Sedam, to meet at Trenton, to shew Cause, if any they have, why an Assignment of the said Debtors Estates should not be made, and the said Debtors discharged, according to the Form and Effect of the said Act of Assembly.

New-Jersey, Hunterdon County, ss.

NOTICE is hereby given to the creditors of Benjamin Titus, an insolvent debtor, now in the goal of the county of Hunterdon, that he, the said Benjamin Titus, hath made application to two of his Majesty's justices of the supream court of this province of New Jersey, to be admitted to the benefit of an act of Assembly of the province aforesaid, lately passed, intituled "An act for the relief of insolvent debtors" and taken the oath, and complied with the terms prescribed in and by the said act. And the said justices have appointed Friday, the sixth day of September next, for the creditors of the aforesaid Benjamin

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Titus to meet at Trenton, in the county of Hunterdon aforesaid, to choose assignees, &c. or shew cause why the said prisoners shall not be discharged, according to the form and effect of the said act of assembly.

Hunterdon County, ss. Amwell, August 8, 1765.

PURSUANT to an Act of General Assembly, of the Province of New Jersey, lately passed intituled "An Act for the Relief of insolvent Debtors" Notice is hereby given unto the respective Creditors of Titus Hixson, of the said County of Hunterdon, to shew Cause, if any there be, unto William Morris and William Clayton, Esquires, Judges of the Court of Common Pleas of the said County, why the said Hixson should not have the Benefit of the said Act, in order that Assignees may be appointed by the said Judges to receive the Effects of the said Hixson, agreeable to his Request, and that on or before the Fifth Day of September next ensuing—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1913, *August* 22, 1765.

New-York, August 22. We hear from New-Jersey, that Mr. Coxe, the Stamp Officer, appointed for that Province, having applied to a Gentleman to hire a House, was refused, unless he would insure the House from being pulled down, or damaged.

☞ *Query,* Whether it would not be prudent for all the Stamp Officers to insure their Houses, &c.

NOTICE is hereby given to whom it may concern, That John Hunt, Daniel Robins, Samuel Romine and Laton Romine, prisoners in the gaol of the county of Monmouth, having exhibited their several petitions and schedules, to Charles Read and John Berrian, Esqrs. two of his Majesty's judges of the supreme court of New-Jersey, and took their oaths according to the late act of assembly; upon which it is ordered by the said judges,

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that the said petitions and schedules be filed and that the prisoners do give notice, pursuant to the act of assembly for their creditors to appear at the house of Wm. Vaughan, at Allen-Town, on Saturday, the 7th day of September next, at 12 of the clock, to shew cause, (if any they have) why the petitioners' estates should not be assigned and the said debtors discharged, according to law.

August 9.

Notice to the Publick,

THAT Augustus Steuart, of New-Jersey, has prepared a HORSE POWDER, which, for its qualities and operations exceeds any thing hitherto contrived for the benefit of that animal. In all disorders to which those creatures are liable, it gives quick relief, purifies the blood, makes the beast more than ordinary lively, brisk, and strong, and occasions him to thrive in fatness on almost half the provisions he in common devours. It is a great preservative against disorders of all kinds, giving only one common table spoon full of it once a week. It is to be had at Mr. Michael Housworth's, next door to W. Weyman's, Printer, in Broad street, New-York, at four shillings per pound. This powder is a total poison for the botts, and carries all off by evacuation.

AUGUSTUS STEUART.

—*The New York Gazette or Weekly Post Boy, August 22, 1765.*

TO BE LETT, for one or more years,

A Plantation, and tract of land, situate on Little Timber-Creek, in the county of Gloucester, in New Jersey; on which, there is a frame house, with a good orchard, about forty acres of up land cleared, and near thirty acres of meadow, lately made, and in good order. The said plantation, is very conveniently situated for attending the

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market of Philadelphia, being only one mile and a half from the town of Gloucester, and may be entered upon the 10th of September next. Any person inclining to rent the same, may apply to the subscriber, living in the city of Philadelphia.

THOMAS WHARTON.

—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1185, *August* 22, 1765.

NEW-YORK, *August* 22.

We hear from New-Jersey, that Mr. Cox, the Stamp Officer, appointed for that Province, having applied to a Gentleman to have a House, was refused, unless he would insure the House from being pulled down, or damaged.

Query, Whether it would not be prudent for all the Stamp Officers to insure their Houses, &c.

Another Query, Who will underwrite on such Houses, &c.

Custom-House, Philadelphia, Entered In. Sloop Three Brothers, J. Ireffen, from N. Jersey.

RUN-AWAY from the fishery at Lamberton, the first of June, a servant boy named Samuel Birt, about seventeen years of age, (some time after he was taken up and put into New-Town Goal, from whence he made his escape, and has been missing ever since) he has a down innocent look, talks but little, and pretends to be deaf, says he was born in Wales.

The 10th of August went away from the said place, Joseph Mahoner, a cooper by trade, took with him a boat, all his tools, and several other things, about twenty years of age, has an old look, wears his own hair, and not a very pleasing countenance, is an Irishman born, has the brogue on his tongue; FORTY SHILLINGS Reward to any person,

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that takes up one, and FOUR POUNDS for both, and all reasonable charges paid if they are put in Goal, or sent to THOMAS RICHE or WILLIAM RICHARDS in Philadelphia. —*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1186, *August* 29, 1765.

To be LETT,

THE NOTED TAVERN, at PRINCE-TOWN, where George Campbell lived. It is a good House, and well situated for Business, and may be entered upon immediately. For Terms, enquire of

JOHN REYNELL.

Morris County, ss. August 19, 1765.

IN Pursuance of an Order of Court, made by Jacob Ford, and Robert Goble, Esquires, two of the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas for the County of Morris, in the Province of New-Jersey, upon the Petition of Frederick Young, an insolvent Debtor, now in Goal of said County, Notice is hereby given to the Creditors of the said Frederick Young, to shew Cause, if any they have, before the Judges, at the Court-house in Morris County, on the 19th Day of September next ensuing, at Twelve o'Clock of said Day, being the Day and Place appointed by the said Judges for that Purpose, why an Assignment should not be made by the said Frederick Young to Matthew Lum, and Joseph Wood, of the County of Morris, and Province aforesaid, appointed by us Jacob Ford and Robert Goble for that Purpose; and why the said Petitioner should not be thereupon discharged according to an Act of General Assembly, lately passed, intituled "An Act for the Relief of insolvent Debtors.

Trenton Goal, August 19, 1765.

A Servant Lad was taken up at Trenton, named Barney M'Quoid, who says that he belongs to David Hurley,

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within two Miles of Haddonfield, Gloucester County; his Master is desired to come and take him away, or else he will be sold out the 20th of September, for the Charges, by

GEORGE BROWN, Goal-keeper.

WHEREAS Jacob Roeters Hooper did lately give Notice to his Creditors, that on the 23d Day of this instant August, they should appear before the Judges of the inferior Court of Common Pleas, of the County of Hunterdon and choose Assignees, and take an Assignment of his Estate, or shew Cause why he should not be discharged from his Imprisonment, agreeable to an Act of Assembly of the Province of New Jersey, intituled "An Act for the Relief of insolvent Debtors," at which Day, before the Judges aforesaid, a Proposal was made by, and in Behalf of the said Jacob Roeters Hooper, to which his said Creditors agreeing, the same would be greatly to their Advantage; but whereas there were only a few of the Creditors present, the said Judges proceeded no further than to receive a List of his Creditors, and Debts due to him; and the said Jacob Roeters Hooper being willing, as much as in him lies, to satisfy his Creditors, hereby gives Notice, that the said Judges will meet again on Friday, the 6th Day of September next, in Trenton; at which Day, if his said Creditors will appear, and accept of the Proposals by him then to be made, he will not take the Benefit of the Act aforesaid otherwise he must then be obliged, in order to obtain his Discharge from Imprisonment to relieve himself thereby.

THERE was left, on the Twenty-third of December, 1763, with John Jones, the Burlington Waggoner, by a Woman, a Chest for the Freight, which she promised to send the Money for, but as said Jones has not heard from

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her since, he hereby gives Notice, that if she does not come and redeem it in three Weeks from this Date, it will be sold, to pay Charges.

To be sold by publick Vendue, at the London Coffee house, at Six o'Clock in the Evening, on Saturday, the 14th of September, One half Part of the Steel Works at Trenton, with a Lot of Land belonging thereunto, containing nearly Half an Acre, with a Smith's Shop, which hath one Fire-place; the House which contains the Furnace is built with Stone, and almost new, large and commodious, being 30 by 34 Feet square. The Situation of the above Works gives it an advantage over any in the Colonies, being in a County where Wood may be had cheap in great Plenty, and at the Head of the Tide Water, where they can receive Iron from a Number of Iron-works which are situate above it on Delaware; they can likewise transport by Water the Steel to Philadelphia, or any other Part, at a moderate Expence. An Inventory of Movables, &c. belonging to the Works, will be exhibited on the Day of Sale. For further Information, apply to

OWEN BIDDLE.

RUN away, the 22d inst. August, from the Subscriber, of Sussex County, East New-Jersey, a hired Servant, named Michael Crook, a High-Dutchman, speaks good English, about 5 Feet 6 Inches high, with lightish Hair and Eyes, and a Mole upon one of his Eye-lids: He was very poorly dressed when he went off, but has stolen sundry Clothes, which he may wear, likewise a sorrel Stallion, 6 Years old with a bald Face, four white Feet, a natural Pacer, about 14 Hands and a Half high; also a black roan Stallion, 15 Hands high, a natural Trotter, 4 Years old, branded on the near Buttock I W. Whoever takes

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up and secures the said Michael Crook, with the Horses, so that the Subscriber may have them again shall have Fifteen Dollars Reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by

JOSEPH WALLEN.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1914, *August* 29, 1765.

This is to give notice,

THAT there is to be sold by the subscriber, a very good farm, lying in Middle-Town, in the county of Monmouth, in New-Jersey; is well situated for a merchant or tradesman, as it is the best landing place along the shore, and a very good wharf and store-house, not above 20 or 30 yards from the house; a very good dwelling-house and barn, about 100 acres of good land, and about 10 or 15 acres of salt meadow: The premises are in good repair; There is also an orchard that will make 20 or 30 barrels of cyder a year. Any person wanting to purchase said farm, may apply to Michael or Peter V. D. Hoes, on the premises. An indisputable title will be given.

New-Jersey, } ss.
Middlesex, }

Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern, that Peter Ten Eick, a prisoner confined in the gaol of Perth-Amboy, having exhibited his petition and schedule to several of the judges of the court of common pleas of said county of Middlesex, which is lodged in the hands of Stephen Skinner, Esq; one of the judges aforesaid, and took the oath according to the late act of assembly; it is ordered, that the said petitioner do give notice, pursuant to the act of assembly aforesaid, for his creditors to be and appear at the court-house aforesaid, on the 7th day of September next ensuing, to shew cause, (if any they have) why an assignment of the said petitioner's estate

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shall not be made to assignees appointed for that purpose, and the said petitioner be discharged according to law.

Dated August 17, 1765.

Second River, August 26, 1765

To be sold at public Vendue,

ON Monday the 28th day of October next, between the hours of 12 and 5 of the same day, on the premises, by virtue of a writ of *fieri facias* to me directed, and delivered against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of Francis Waters, upon a judgment obtain'd in the inferior court of common pleas for the county of Essex, in the province of New-Jersey, a certain dwelling-house and lot of land adjoining, containing about half an acre, and also one other acre of land belonging to the said Francis Waters, situate, lying and being at Second River, in the county aforesaid, and is very convenient for a tradesman or other business. *By me taken in execution by virtue of said writ; The condition of sale will be made known at the day and place aforesaid.*

UZAL OGDEN, Sheriff.

N. B. The house is pleasantly situate on Second River, is a convenient new stone building, with a cellar and kitchen below, and a good room and large entry above.—*The New York Gazette or Weekly Post Boy, August* 29, 1765.

New-Jersey. } ss.
Middlesex, }

PURSUANT to an order of the worshipful Stephen Skinner, and Thomas Gach, esqrs. two of the judges of the court of common pleas for the county of Middlesex, upon the petition of John Cowley, an insolvent debtor, and several of his creditors: Notice is hereby given, to all the creditors of the said John Cowley to shew cause (if any they

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have) before the said judges, on monday the 23d of September next, at the city of Perth-Amboy, at 12 o'clock on the same day; why an assignment of the estate of the said John, should not be made to persons to be then nominated by the said creditors, pursuant to the prayer of the said petition; and the said John be thereupon discharged from his debts, agreeable to the directions of an act of the governor, council, and general assembly, of the province of New-Jersey, made this present year, entitled, *an act for the relief of insolvent debtors.*

Dated, August 31, 1765.

To be Sold,

A Valuable tract of land, lying at Barrogat bay on the north side of Goose Creek (or Thomas's river) in the township of Shrewsbury, in East New-Jersey, containing upwards of 1000 acres; on which there is a small house and about 70 acres of clear'd land, part of which is good English meadow, and a great quantity more may be made; besides several hundred acres of salt marsh, and as fine a cedar swamp as any in those parts; great part of the land is fit for most sorts of grain, and the rest has plenty of fine timber on it: The situation is pleasant, as it joins both the bay and river, where is good fishing and fowling, and with a little improvement, would make one of the best places for raising of stock of any in the province, and lies convenient to divide. Any person inclining to purchase the whole or part, may apply to James Mott, at Middle-Town, East New-Jersey, or to the subscriber on the premises, who will give an indisputable title for the same.

James Mott, jun.

Shrewsbury in New-Jersey, August the 1st, 1765.

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City of New-Brunswick } ss. PURSUANT to an order made by William Ouke and James Neilson, Esqrs, two of the judges of the mayor's court of common pleas for the said city, notice is hereby given unto all the creditors of Stephen Warne, an insolvent debtor, confined in the gaol of the said city, that they appear before the said judges, on the 26th day of September next, at two of the clock in the afternoon, at the court-house in the said city, to shew cause (if any they have) why an assignment of the said debtor's estate should not be made to such persons as shall be appointed, and the said debtor discharged, pursuant to an act of the assembly made at Burlington, the last sessions, entitled, *An act for the relief of insolvent debtors.*

Dated August 30, 1765.

New-York, Sept. 5. Yesterday the Revd. Presbytery of New-York, solemnly installed the Rev. Mr. John Rogers, as Co-pastor with the Revd. Mr. Joseph Treat, in the Presbyterian Church, in New-York. The Sermon was preached by the Revd. Mr. James Caldwel, of Elizabeth-Town, from JER. Chap. iii. Ver. 15. and the Revd. Mr. Jones[1] of Morris-Town, gave the Charge; to the universal Satisfaction of a numerous Congregation.—*Supplement Extraordinary—The New York Gazette or Weekly Post Boy, September* 5, 1765.

WHEREAS Elizabeth, the wife of THOMAS COOMBS of Gloucester county, New-Jersey, has at sundry times eloped from her husband, this is to forewarn all persons from trusting her on my account, as I will pay no debts of her contracting after this date.

THOMAS COOMBS.

[1] The Rev. Timothy Johnes, pastor of the Presbyterian church at Morristown, 1743-1794.

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We are informed that William Coxe Esq; has sent a Resignation of the Stamp Office for New-Jersey to the Lords Commissioners of the Treasury, and assigned his Reasons.

On Wednesday, the 28th ult. was executed at Burlington, New-Jersey, three men, viz. John Grimes, John Fagan, and John Johnson, alias Johnson Cochran, pursuant to their sentence, for robbing the house of Joseph Burr, as mentioned in this paper of 25th of July.

RUN-away the 1st instant, from the subscriber, in Chesterfield in the county of Burlington and province of New-Jersey; a negro man named Isaac, a well set fellow, about five feet seven inches high; had on and took with him a kersey jacket, two oznabrugs and one fine shirt, buck-skin breeches, good shoes tied with strings, a wool hat, an old striped Holland jacket, and two pair of trowsers: Its very likely he will change his name to Antone, and will endeavour to get to Virginia, to one Ingham or Ingram's with whom he has lived, when young by the name of Antone; he has been at the Havannah and talk Spanish. Whoever shall take up said negro and bring him to the subscriber, or secures him in any goal so that his master may have him again, shall have TWENTY SHILLINGS reward if taken in the Jerseys, and THIRTY SHILLINGS if taken elsewhere, and all reasonable charges paid by

JOHN WOOD.

N. B. Friend take care of your meat,
Your cellar secure,
He'll have a hungry gut,
Which he ne'er could endure.

Burlington County ss.

PURSUANT to an order of Robert Smith and Thomas

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Rodman, Esqrs; two of the judges of the court of Common Pleas for the county aforesaid, upon the petition of James Cobson, an insolvent debtor, and the major part in value of his creditors. Notice is hereby given to all the creditors of the said James Cobson, that Saturday the 28th instant is appointed for his discharge, pursuant to the late act of assembly for the relief of insolvent debtors, he having given in an inventory upon oath according to the said act. All persons who have any thing to object to the discharge of the said insolvent debtor, are at the time above mentioned, desired to attend at the Court-house in Burlington, and shew cause, if any they have, why an assignment of his estate should not be made, and he thereupon discharged.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1187, *September* 5, 1765.

Salem County, ss. August 22, 1765

PURSUANT to an Act of General Assembly, of the Province of New-Jersey, lately passed, intituled, "An Act for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors; Notice is hereby given to the respective Creditors of Sceley Keen and Job Stow, insolvent Debtors, now confined in the Goal of Salem, that the said Debtors intend to take the Benefit of the said Act, in order to their Discharge; and Saturday, the 14th Day of September next ensuing, is appointed by the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas for the Creditors of the said Sceley Keen, and Job Stow, to receive the effects of the said Debtors or shew Cause, if any they have, why the said Judges should not give them the Benefit of the said Act.

SIX POUNDS *Reward.*

RUN away, on the 17th of last Month, from Benjamin Harris, of Bound Brook, in Somerset County, East-

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Jersey, an Apprentice Lad, named James Teeple, a Shoemaker by Trade, about 19 Years of Age, five Feet seven Inches high, round visaged, smooth Face, black Eyes and black Hair: Had on and took with him, a new Castor Hat, brown Broadcloth Coat, with white Metal Buttons, three Jackets, one of white homespun Linen, another of Nankeen, and the other red Cloth, without Sleeves, two New Check Shirts, three Pair of Stockings, one of brown Thread, another Worsted, and the other Yarn, two Pair of blue Cloth Breeches, a Pair of half worn Shoes, with Silver Buckles, and Knee-buckles of the same. He also took a Sett of Shoemaker's Tools. Whoever takes up and secures said Apprentice, so as his Master may have him again, shall have the above Reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by

BENJAMIN HARRIS.

WHEREAS Abraham Dyson, Writing Master, in Moore's Town, has thought proper to inform the Public in his Neighbourhood, that several Schoolmasters in the Country, particularly Jonathan Peat, Henry Glass, and John Reily are all ignorant, and incapable of their Undertaking, namely of improving the Youth of the Country, and chiefly the said Peat and Glass, whom he pleases to term by the Names of Ass and Fool: Therefore we the undernamed Persons think proper to inform the Public, that we have appeared in Moore's Town, on the 24th Day of August, 1765, to vindicate our Cause, and make our Ability appear to this extraordinary Judge of Literature, as he affects, who would not appear on any Account to shew his Sufficiency, or any of our the Subscribers Sufficiency or Insufficiency: Therefore we the said Subscribers think proper to inform the Public, that the said Dyson, in our Opinion, is neither as able, or as capable, as any of us the said Subscribers to inform or instruct Youth,

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as we think, by a general Meeting, can be made appear. JONATHAN PEAT, HENRY GLASS, JOHN REILY, DANIEL CAMPBELL, JOHN CAMPBELL, JOHN LYNCH.

Hunterdon County, ss. Trenton, August 10, 1765

NOTICE is hereby given to the Creditors of Thomson Price, an insolvent Debtor, in the Custody of the Sheriff of the County of Hunterdon, that he hath made Application to two of the Judges of the Inferior Court of Common Pleas of the County aforesaid, and complied with the Terms prescribed in and by an Act of Assembly of this Province, intituled, "An Act for the Relief of insolvent Debtors," and the said Judges have appointed Monday, the 23d Day of September next, for the Creditors of the said Thomson Price to meet at Trenton, to choose Assignees, and shew Cause, if any they have, why the said Thomson Price should not be discharged, according to the Form and Effect of the Act aforesaid.

Gloucester County ss. August 27, 1765.

PURSUANT to an Order of Alexander Randall, and Samuel Harrison, Esquires, two of his Majesty's Judges of the Court of Common Pleas for the County of Gloucester aforesaid, upon the Petition of Spencer Fisher, and Christopher Zimberman, insolvent Debtors, now confined in Gloucester Goal, together with the major Part in Value of their Creditors; Notice is hereby given to the respective Creditors of the said Spencer Fisher and Christopher Zimberman, that Thursday, the 26th Day of September next is appointed for their Discharge, pursuant to an Act of Assembly, intituled, An Act for the Relief of insolvent Debtors; the said Debtors having given in Inventories, upon Oath, according to the said Act. All Persons who have any thing to object to the Discharge of the said Debtors, are desired to attend at the Court-House, in

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Gloucester, at the Time above mentioned, and shew Cause, if any they have, why they should not be admitted to the Benefit of the said Act.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1915, *September* 5, 1765.

Burlington Goal, September 6, 1765

On the 31st Day of August last, was committed to my Care, the following described Person, upon Suspicion of being a Runaway, or a dishonest Person, viz. a certain Man, who calls himself George Grimes, about 5 Feet 9 Inches high, of a pale Complexion, strait brown Hair, cut short on the Top of his Head; he says he was born in Kent County, in Old England, and came into Boston in April last, in the Pitt Packet, John Dickson Master, but has since been some time in Philadelphia; as there has nothing appeared against said Person, if any Body has any Manner of suit against him, let them appear in two Weeks from the Date hereof, otherwise he will be sold out for his Charges, by me

EPHRAIM PHILLIPS, Goaler.

N. B. The above described Person is very meanly drest, and wore a brown cut Wig, when first committed.

Rariton, August 29, 1765.

Stolen from the Subscriber last Night, a light bay Gelding, 4 Years old last Spring, 14 Hands high, a very short Duck; has been galled with the Collar, short bodied, natural Trotter, a small Star, about the Bigness of a Shilling Piece, some white on the Left Side of his Forehead, full-eyed, no Brand; likewise the Saddle and Bridle, the Saddle has a Hogskin Seat, double welted, one Lap made of indifferent Leather, very pliable towards the Tree. Whoever takes up said Horse, shall have Twenty Shillings

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Reward, or more, and if with the Person that stole him, Five Pounds and all reasonable Charges, paid by me

ARTHUR JARVIS.

TO BE SOLD,

A Tract of Land, containing upwards of 100 Acres, lying on Woodberry Creek, one Mile from Woodberry Village, in Deptford Township, Gloucester County, 5 Miles from Gloucester, with a Frame Barn, and Log-house, a Well of good Water at the Door, an Orchard of near 150 Apple Trees, and 4 or 500 Peach Trees, newly set out, and of good Fruit; 40 Acres of cleared Land, 25 Acres of Upland, and near 15 Acres of Meadow, and more may be made, the rest Timber Land; some extraordinary good. Any Person inclining to purchase, may apply to the Subscriber on the Premises, who will make a good Title for the same.

MOSES WARD.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1916, *September* 12, 1765.

Philadelphia, September 5. We are informed that William Coxe,[1] Esq; has sent a resignation of the stamp-office for N. Jersey, to the Lords commissioners of the Treasury, and assigned his reasons.

New-York, September 12. We hear from Woodbridge, in New-Jersey, that Mr. Jonathan Kinsey, died there, very

[1] William Coxe, appointed Stamp Distributor for New Jersey, under the obnoxious Stamp Act of 1765, was doubtless of Burlington, and hence probably owed the appointment to Gov. William Franklin, who resided there. Both belonged to St. Mary's Church, of that place. William Coxe was a son of Col. Daniel Coxe, 3d, who died at Trenton in 1739, and was buried at St. Mary's Church, Burlington. The fact that the Stamp Distributor promptly resigned as soon as he perceived the temper of the people shows him to have been a man of excellent judgment, and apparently in sympathy with the American sentiment on the subject. He was probably the father of William Coxe, Jun., of Burlington, the author of a work on fruits, the first of the kind in America.

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suddenly, a few Days ago, after eating freely of Mushrooms, among which, it is imagined, poisonous Toadstools were intermixed. Several Misfortunes of the same Kind have recently happened in other Parts of America.

The Printer is desired to insert the following in his next News-Paper, and thereby oblige several of his New-Jersey customers.

EVERY real friend of liberty, who understands the constitution of the American colonies, must receive great pleasure from the accounts lately published in the News-Papers respecting the resignation of several of the stamp officers. The apparent necessity of their conduct, must be a sufficient excuse to the authority by which they were appointed; and the important effects which such a step may have upon the liberties of America, in its present alarming situation, will make it appear meritorious in the eyes of their countrymen: it is therefore much to be wished, that this laudable example may be universally imitated. The advice given in the New-[York] Gazette, of last week, to all the stamp officers, who have not yet resigned, is certainly very wholesome, and appears to be given in the spirit of *Christian Orthodoxy;* but I view this resignation in so important a light, that I cannot but subjoin another argument to those made use of by my friend; and it is this, if every stamp officer, upon the continent of North-America. does not take example by those who have already resigned, it will inevitably produce a disunion among the colonies, which, of all things, must be the most fatal; for let it be depended upon, that hereafter the conduct of the stamp officer will give the true political complexion of every colony; if the stamp officer cannot execute his office with any degree of comfort and reputation, and thereupon resigns, then it will be evident that

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the inhabitants of that colony are sensible of the imposition, and spurn at it; if on the other hand, they supinely submit to the unconstitutional exaction, and suffer the unrighteous taskmasters to live at ease, it may be certainly concluded, that the inhabitants of such colony are insensible, and see not, or at least regard not the difference between freedom and slavery; this will necessarily create contempt and hatred: the submissive colony will not only appear to the others, in the most groveling and despicable light, but also, with great propriety, will be esteemed amongst its most formidable enemies; no possible means can be devised so effectual to enslave the whole, as for a part servilely to put their necks to the Yoke. It is therefore evident that every stamp officer, who does not wish the total subversion of the present constitution of North-America, ought immediately to resign his office. I am more especially interested in the prosperity of the colony of New-Jersey, where I live, and have the happiness of some property. And altho' I glory in being a member of a community so submissive to government, and which has such loyalty and affection for the person, family and government of his present most gracious majesty king George the third; yet it would pain me to the Heart, to see this hitherto happy province, tamely submit to be enslaved by its fellow-subjects. It is true, our legislative body did not judge it expedient to come into the measures proposed the last year, by some of the provinces, for petitioning the parliament of Great-Britain. What was the reason of such omission, I cannot determine, as I am not a member of the legislature; but I have always commended their conduct in that instance; for it is to me a plain and evident absurdity to petition any body of men against the passing a law to bind me, when at the same time, I conceive that such law, if passed *by them*, cannot bind me. If the inhabitants of the moon, for instance, should hap-

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pen to hear that the commons of Great-Britain had resolved *nem. con.* that their vellum should be stamped; no one would expect them to petition the said commons against it. And the fate of the petitions which were sent, is quite sufficient to shew our brethren of the other colonies, that they, in the form they were sent, might better have been spared, or at least, that our omitting a step in New-Jersey, which was of no service to those who thought proper to take it, ought to secure our Assembly from some unkind insinuations which have appeared in print on that occasion. I am not for silence, or slavish submission; no, let us act like Freemen, like Englishmen, who, know the limits of their freedom. Let us petition our gracious sovereign, whose paternal regard, is equally extended to his American, as his other subjects; his authority we glory in submitting to; he is king of Great-Britain; and blessed be God, king of America too: but the parliament of Great-Britain is not the legislature of America; we have by our constitution complete legislation independent of the lords and commons of Great-Britain, of which the king, by his several governors, is the head. I hope all the Provinces will unite in sending their several humble petitions to his majesty, without delay; whose royal heart, I doubt not, will be touched with the reasonable complaint of so great a body of his faithful subjects, and that ample redress will be given us; but in such petitions let all submission to, dependence upon, or connection with, the commons and lords of Great-Britain, in a legislative way, be carefully and absolutely disclaimed. In the mean time, all ye stamp officers resign; resign, as you will answer the contrary at your Peril, to your sovereign lords and masters, the incensed mob.

September 3, 1765. CÆSARIENSIS.

—*The New York Gazette or Weekly Post Boy, September* 12, 1765.

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We received a letter signed a *New Jerseyman,* expressing his fears of the reality of the *Report* in our last, concerning Mr. Coxe's resignation. We would now assure our New-Jersey correspondent, and all other our New-Jersey costumers, that we had Mr. Coxe's express leave to publish his resignation of the Stamp office in New-Jersey, as published in our last paper.

TAKEN *up, by the subscriber, living in Hopewell township, Cumberland county: A black horse* 10 *or* 11 *years old, with a star and snip, and a bell about his neck, his hind feet white, branded on the near shoulder I. The owner is desired to prove his property, pay charges, and take him away.*

JAMES WILLIAMSON.

—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1188, *September* 12, 1765.

New-Jersey, ss. By order of the judges of the inferior court of common pleas, held at Newtown in and for the county of Sussex, Monday the 14th day of October next, is appointed for all persons being creditors of the subscriber, insolvent debtor, to appear at the court house of said county at 12 o'clock the said day, to shew cause, if any they have, why the said debtor's estate may not be assigned and the debtor discharged, pursuant to a late act of general assembly of said province, entitled, "an act for the relief of insolvent debtors."

WILLIAM MORRISON.

—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1189, *September* 19, 1765.

Elizabeth-Town, New-Jersey, Sept. 14, 1765. On Wednesday evening last, died here, after a severe illness,

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Thomas Clark,[1] esq; one of the judges of the county court; who has been unanimously elected a magistrate in this corporation ever since we had a charter; and Friday was decently buried, in the plain manner, by his own direction, according to the new mode, none of his relatives or friends appearing in mourning, tho' he was universally lamented by all who knew him, as he left the character of an honest man. We flatter ourselves that this laudable example, so very seasonably set by people of fortune, will be imitated by all; especially by those in slender circumstances, (no liquor was given at the funeral.)

Borough of Elizabeth, Sept. 10th, 1765. Yesterday was committed to goal, John Priestly, of this place, for a debt of SIX PENCE, and the fees. *Hard times!*

City of New-Brunswick, } ss. PURSUANT to an order made by William Ouke and James Neilson, Esqrs; two of the judges of the mayor's court of common pleas for the said city, notice is hereby given unto all the creditors of Joseph Huff, an insolvent debtor, confined in the goal of the said City, that they appear before the said judges, on the tenth Day of October next, at two o'clock in the afternoon, at the court-house in the said city, to shew cause (if any they have) why an assignment of the said debtor's estate should not be made to such persons as shall be appointed, and the said debtor discharged, pursuant to an act of assembly made at Burlington, the last sessions, entitled, *an act for the relief of insolvent debtors.*

Dated September 14, 1765. JOSEPH HUFF.

—*The New York Gazette or Weekly Post Boy, September* 19, 1765.

[1] Thomas Clark, born 1701, was the oldest son of Thomas Clark, whose father, Richard Clark, was settled in Elizabethtown as early as 1678. He died Sept. 11, 1765. He was the father of Abraham Clark, Signer of the Declaration of Independence.

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Pursuant to an Act of General Assembly, lately passed, intituled, "An Act for the Relief of insolvent Debtors," Jonathan Reeves, an insolvent Debtor, now confined in Salem Goal, hereby gives Notice, that he intends to take the Benefit of the said Act, in order to his Discharge; and the Judges of the inferior Court of Common Pleas, for the County aforesaid, have appointed Saturday, the 28th Day of this instant September, for the Creditors of the above insolvent Debtor to meet at the Court-house, in the Town of Salem, to shew Cause, if any they have, why an Assignment of the said Debtor's Estate should not be made, and said Debtor discharged, according to the Form and Effect of the said Act.

To be sold, on one of the Branches of Stow Creek, in Cohansey, Cumberland County, a Mill, about four Years old, the lower Story of Stone, a good Pair of Bucks County Stones, and Boulting-box for the Country, a large Dwelling-house, and a bearing Orchard; with 80 Acres of Land thereunto belonging and a good Stone Quarry. For further Particulars enquire of Samuel Elwell, in Pilesgrove, Salem County.

To be sold by Way of public Vendue, at the Market house in Trenton, on Tuesday, the 24th of this Instant, at Two o'Clock in the Afternoon, two likely large breeding Mares, with Foal by a full-blooded Horse; also several Horse and Mare half-blooded Colts of one Year old. Six Months Credit will be given.

FIVE DOLLARS Reward.

RUN away from Greenwich Forge, in Sussex County, West New-Jersey, a Negro Boy, named Castello, about 20 Years of Age; had on, a white Shirt, half Silk yellow Jacket, yellow knit Worsted Breeches, red and white

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speckled Worsted Stockings, new Shoes, with square Brass Buckles, and a good Beaver Hat; the Colour of his Coat unknown; wears a Truss. Whoever secures said Negro in any Goal, so as he may be had again, shall have the above Reward, by applying to JOHN HUGHES, in Philadelphia, or to HUGH HUGHES, at said Forge.

Sussex County, New Jersey, ss. September 7, 1765.

BY Order of the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas, held at Newtown, in and for the said County of Sussex, the 4th Day of October next, is appointed for all Persons, Creditors of the Subscribers, being insolvent Debtors, to appear at the Court House in the said County, at 12 o'Clock in the Forenoon of the said Day, to shew Cause, if any they have, why an Assignment of the said Debtors Estates should not be made, and the said Debtors discharged, pursuant to an Act of Assembly of this Province, for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors, lately made and provided. WILLIAM KENNEDY, JOHN HOFFMAN, JACOB SMITH.

To be sold at public Vendue, at the House of Joseph Morford, late deceased, on Monday, the 30th Day of this inst. September, Horses, Cattle, Hogs, and a Parcel of very good Hay, many Farmers Utensils, and all Sorts of China, Delph and Earthen Ware, Glass of all Sorts, such as Looking Glasses, Decanters, Wine Glasses, Bottles, and the like, a great Parcel of Pewter and Tin Ware of all Sorts, and many other Things too tedious to mention. Also a very good Negroe Wench, 26 Years of Age, born in this Neighbourhood, fitting for any Business. Likewise to be sold the same Day, a very large commodious House, and a large Lot of Ground, where the said Morford lived, lying in Freehold Township, Monmouth County, within 40 or 50 Yards of the Court-house, a

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House that has always been kept for a public House or Inn, which belongs to it, an extraordinary good Barn, Shed and Stables, fitting for a Tavern, besides many other Out-houses, which said Lot contains, about 25 Acres of extraordinary good Land, and in exceeding good Repair, with a large Orchard of all Kind of Fruit. Likewise to be sold the same Day at public Sale, to go with the said Place, a Piece of Timber Land, of about 75 Acres, lying handy to said Place. The Vendue to begin at 10 o'Clock the same Day. The Conditions of Sale will be made known at the Time and Place aforesaid, by JONATHAN FORMAN, and JONATHAN VANKIRK, Executors.

Shrewsbury Township, Monmouth County, East New-Jersey, September 7, 1765.

WHEREAS my Wife Ann has, by her Extravagancy, at sundry Times and Places, run me in Debt, to my Damage; I hereby forbid all Persons from trusting her on my Account, for I will pay no Debts of her contracting after the Date hereof.

WILLIAM POTTER.

To be sold, by Way of public Vendue, on Saturday the 28th inst, on the Premises (if not sold before by private Bargain) A Plantation and Tract of Land, containing about 210 Acres of good kind fertile Ground, about 30 Acres of Meadow, and 70 Acres of Upland cleared, and within Fence, chiefly Cedar Rails, a small Frame House, good Orchard, and other Conveniences, situate on the South Side of the North main Branch of Ancocus Creek, about one Mile from Mountholly, in the County of Burlington, convenient to Church, Meeting, Mills and Market. The Conditions to be shewn, and an indisputable Title given, at the Time and Place of Sale, by

SAMUEL REEVE.

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The 14th of the 9th Month, 1765.

WHEREAS Abraham Dyson is accused of informing the Public in this Neighbourhood that several Schoolmasters in the Country, particularly Jonathan Peat, Henry Glass and John Reily, were all ignorant and incapable of their Undertaking, but that I Abraham Dyson doth Certify, that I never said any such Thing against John Reily nor Henry Glass, except I called him an Ass, and he called me what I never was. And as for Daniel Campbell, John Campbell, and John Lynch, I never saw till they appeared in Moore's Town, at the general Meeting of School-masters, and the Reasons that I did not appear there, six to one is too great odds; and at the Conclusion of the Council, they brought it in that they thought I was not as able or as capable as any of them, but the said Dyson has Liberty of his own Thoughts as well as any of them, and thinks in his Opinion, that he understands Arts and Sciences as well as any of them, and Logick sufficient to explain them to others, and can give a mathematical demonstration of that.

ABRAHAM DYSON, Philomathes, &c.

Whereas Abraham Dyson hath taught at the said Place for the Term of six Months and eight Weeks, and we whose Names are under, doth hereby Certify, that he hath behaved himself as a sober Man, and hath given us Satisfaction in his Business, &c Joshua Bispham, Jacob Hollingshead, John Huestis, James Hammell, Samuel Atkinson, jun, James Cattell, William Allen, Thomas Morton, John Coxe, John Risdon, George Matlack, William Cheesman.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1917, *September* 19, 1765.

To be SOLD by the Subscriber,

A LOT of Land, containing by Estimation about nine Acres, lying at Rocky Brook, in Middlesex County, New-

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Jersey, on the great Road from Burlington to Amboy, about nine Miles from Allen's Town, and three from Cranberry brook, whereon is a good new and convenient Dwelling-house, Shop, Stable and Outhouses, a good Grist-mill and Saw-mill, and lies on a very good Stream, and convenient for a Merchant or Shop-keeper. Also a Tract of 300 Acres of Upland, and 30 Acres of salt Meadow adjoining thereto, with a good House, Barn and young Orchard; about 40 Acres of the Upland cleared, fronting upon Rariton River, and lies about a Mile from South Amboy Ferry, and convenient for getting of Clams, Oysters and for Fishing. Good and sufficient Deeds, with Warranty, will be given, and two or three Years or longer Time if required, for the Payment of the Purchase-money, upon paying Interest from the First of May next.

PHILIP KEARNY.

On Tuesday, the 17th Instant departed this Life, at his House at Cape May, West New Jersey, JACOB SPICER,[1] Esq; in the 50th Year of his Age: He was more than 20 Years a Representative in Assembly for the County of Cape May, which as well as many other public Services he was constantly engaged in, he executed with distinguished Ability, approved Integrity, and uncommon Assiduity, affording the utmost Satisfaction to his Constituents, who will long remain truly sensible of the great Loss they have sustained by his Death, as well for his Patriotism as domestic Worth, he being a kind Neighbour, a judicious Friend, a tender Husband, and an affectionate Parent.—And it may be justly added, that he was an able and zealous Advocate for the Birth-rights of British Subjects, and an hospitable, benevolent and honest Man.

[1] For notices of Jacob Spicer, see N. J. Archives, XIX., 393, and N. J. Hist. Soc. Proceedings, 2d Series, XIII., 53-54.

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CUSTOM - HOUSE, Philadelphia, Inward Entries. Schooner Polly. A. Mansfield, Salem.

WAS LOST in Philadelphia, on Sunday Evening last, a gilt Leather Pocket Book, containing sundry Accounts, Receipts &c, and a Six Shilling Jersey Bill. Likewise two Church Lottery Tickets, Number 6674 and 5633. The Papers and Tickets will be of no Use to any Person but the Owner. Whoever has found said Book, and will deliver it to the Printers hereof, shall receive Ten Shillings Reward.

THREE POUNDS Reward

RUN away from the Subscriber, living in Deptford Township, Gloucester County, a Servant Man, named John Kennedy, about 5 Feet 7 Inches high, about 22 Years of Age, has brown Hair, thin visaged, light grey Eyes: Had on and stole a light coloured Coat and Jacket, and a striped Jacket, with Leather Breeches, two Pair of Silver Buckles, not Fellows, one of them a Woman's Girdle Buckle, a Pair of blue grey Stockings, and one Pair of black and blue twisted together, new Ozenbrigs Trowsers, a Pair of Check Ditto, two new Ozenbrigs Shirts, a half worn Hat, a red striped Silk Handkerchief, and two Check Linen Ditto. Whoever takes up said Servant, and brings him to his Master, or secures him in any Goal, shall have the above Reward, paid by

HENRY WEATHERBY.

N. B. The said Servant is known to be guilty of changing his Name, and the Girdle Buckle above mentioned is marked D V. All Masters of Vessels and others are forbid to carry him off, at their Peril.

Hunterdon County, New Jersey, ss.

ON the Petition of Titus Hexon, an insolvent Debtor,

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and the major Part in Value of his Creditors, to the Judges of the Inferior Court of Common Pleas, for the said County; Notice is hereby given to all his Creditors, to meet at the House of Richard Cox, Inn-keeper, at Trenton, on the 4th Day of October next, at 3 o'Clock in the Afternoon, to shew Cause, if any they have, why he should not be admitted to the Benefit of an Act lately passed entituled "An Act for the Relief of insolvent Debtors.

Hunterdon County, ss. Trenton, August 13, 1765.

AGREEABLE to Adjournment, will be exposed to Sale at public Vendue, to the highest Bidder, on Saturday, the 19th Day of October next, on the Premises between the Hours of 12 and 5 o'Clock, a Plantation, situate in Maidenhead,[1] containing 110 Acres of Land, be it more or less, bounded by Lands of John Price, William B ge, Josiah Furman (late Houghton Morshon Lands) and the Province Line, on which said Lands is a large Stone Dwelling-house, two Stories high, a good old Orchard, and some Meadow; it is a well accommodated small Farm. The Conditions will be made known at the Day of Sale. The above described Farm was late the Property of Samuel Stockton, and now in the Possession of William Walker; seized and taken in Execution, at the Suit of Richard Stockton, Capt. John Anderson, Ezekiel Furman and others, and to be sold by

SAMUEL TUCKER, Sheriff.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1918, *September* 26, 1765.

LIST of LETTERS remaining in the Post-office at Trenton.

[1] Now Lawrenceville.

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A. Elizabeth Adlum (2) and George Ahehurst, Trenton.

B. Edward Broadfield, near Trenton.

C. William Cormhell, to the Care of John Hacket, Esq; James Clunn or the Widow Britain, Trenton; Susannah Councill, in Hopewell.

G. Samuel Gilmore (2) to the Care of Christopher Cunningham, near Bordentown.

K. Duncan Kenilly, at William Boyd's near Trenton.

M. Robert Magilard, Monmouth County; Thomas Moore.

O. Mary O'Bryan, near Trenton.

P James Patrick, Baskinridge

R Samuel Reed, Monmouth County; Martin Ryerson, Esq; (3) Amwell; Samuel Rodgers, Bordentown; Andrew Reed, East Jersey; John Robins, Allentown; Trad Taylor, to the Care of Robert Rutherford, Philadelphia.

S. Benjamin Stevens, Maidenhead; Isaac Sadler, to the Care of the Rev. Mr. Thompson, Pennsylvania; Ezekiel Smythe, Allentown.

T. Francis Titus, Pennsylvania.

This Day there is a Meeting of the Members of the General Assembly of the Province of New-Jersey at Amboy, by a Letter from their Speaker, relating to sending some Gentlemen likewise to the Congress. [At New-York]

PUBLIC Notice is hereby given, That the Council of Proprietors of West Jersey, at their last Meeting in August, adjourned to meet again at Burlington, in October inst. to begin Business on Third Day, the 22d of said Month; the usual Time of Meeting, in November, being inconvenient this Year.

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TO BE SOLD,

A Tract of Land, containing 1270 Acres, with usual Allowance, situate in Sussex County, West Jersey, about 60 Miles from Philadelphia, and about as far from New York, on a Branch of Delaware, called Pohatteenny,[1] well watered and timbered, having a Stream of Water running through the same sufficient for a Grist-mill, Saw-mill, or Iron-works; a large Quantity of Meadow may be made thereon. The Title indisputable. For Terms of Sale, enquire of Jeremiah Elfreth, in Philadelphia, or of the Subscriber, at Little Mantua Creek, in New-Jersey, about 12 Miles from Philadelphia, who will sell the same either altogether, or in Parcels, as shall best suit the Purchasers.

ISAAC ANDREWS.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1919, *October* 3, 1765.

New-York, October 3. The Piece signed Colonist came too late for this Weeks Paper. In the Conclusion the Author advises a total discontinuance of Business, rather than to purchase any Stamps; and asserts, That the Lawyers of New-Jersey have resolved to lose all Business rather than make use of any; a noble Resolution, worthy of universal Imitation!

New-Jersey, }
Middlesex, } PURSUANT to an order of the worshipful Thomas Gach and Stephen Skinner, Esqrs. two judges of the court of common pleas for the county of Middlesex, upon the petition of George Lang, an insolvent debtor, and several of his creditors: Notice is hereby given to all the creditors of the said George Lang, to shew cause (if any they have) before

[1] Query: a clerical error for Pohatcung, or Pohatcong.

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the said judges, on the 14th day of October next, at the city of Perth-Amboy, at 12 o'clock on the same day, why an assignment of the estate of the said George, should not be made to persons to be then nominated by the said creditors, pursuant to the prayer of the said petition, and the said George be thereupon discharged from his debts, agreeable to the directions of an act of the governor, council and general assembly of the province of New-Jersey, made this present year, entitled, "An Act for the relief of insolvent Debtors."

September 24, 1765.

To be SOLD,

Either in Lots or altogether, as may best Suit the Buyer;

ONE Thousand Acres of Land in the County of Sussex, near Cooper Shearer's, about 6 Miles from the Court-House, and on the Main Road to Delaware, over Pequally Mountain. It is well situated and timbered; through it runs a fine Rivulet, contigious to which may be easily made upwards of Two Hundred Acres of excellent Meadow; the whole Tract, together with the Stream, are well calculated either for an Iron Work, or Saw-Mill: Bonds upon Interest, with good Security, will be taken in Payment, unless it may suit the purchaser better to deposit the Cash. For further Particulars inquire of the Proprietors, CORTLAND SKINNER, at Perth-Amboy, or at New-Brunswick, of Cornelius Low, junior.

October 1765.

—*The New York Gazette or Weekly Post Boy, October* 3, 1765.

Trenton, September 19.

WHEREAS at a meeting of the major part of the creditors in value of Jacob Roeters Hooper at Trentown on

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Friday the sixth of this inst. September, we the subscribers were chosen Assignees and have received an assignment of all his estate, real and personal, together with certain houses and lotts, conditionally made over by his father Robert Lettis Hooper, Esq; for the benefit of all his creditors; and whereas it appears to us that the said Jacob Roeters Hooper intentions are honourable and that he hath done all that could be reasonably requested of him for the benefit of all his creditors, we therefore inform them, that unless two thirds of his said creditors in number do apply to Samuel Henry and Alexander Chambers in Trentown or to Thomas Wallace, Merchant in Second street, Philadelphia, within eighteen months from this date, and agree in writing to accept their dividends of the said Jacob Roeters Hoopers estate, with their dividends arising from the sale of the houses and lotts to us assigned by his father, they will be forever excluded from any part of said estate by his father assigned.

SAMUEL HENRY, ALEXANDER CHAMBERS, and
THOMAS WALLACE.

PRINCETON, (New Jersey) *September* 25, 1765.

This day the trustees of the college of New-Jersey, attended the public commencement. The exercise was preceeded by an animated Latin oration *On the evils to which a people is liable when involved in debt,* delivered with great propriety and spirit by Mr. Jonathan Edwards, one of the candidates for Batchelor's degrees. Then succeeded Sylogistic disputes in Latin and Forensic in English as usual, that all parts of the auditory might share in the entertainment. . . . . The following Thesis were debated in the forenoon

1. *Dictamina conscientiæ semper sequenda sunt.*

2. *To play at cards or dice is neither expedient nor lawful.*

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3. *Comedere sanguinem nunc temporis fas est.*

4. *A wicked man cannot be an accomplished Orator.*

The several respondents and opponents acquitted themselves to general satisfaction. After the two former disputes, a short intermediate oration, for the sake of variety, was introduced by Mr. Richard Goodman, in which he pointed out the difference between the eloquence of Cicero and that of Demosthenes, with their peculiar excellencies; his delivery very well exemplified his subject. The exercises of this part of the day were closed with an oration on *Liberty* pronounced with beauty and propriety, by Mr. Jacob Rush.

The Thesis debated in the afternoon were

1 *Quo magis necessarie, sensu morali, eo liberus agit homo.*

2 *There cannot be true friendship but among the good.*

The former in the Syllogistic, the latter in the Forensic way, as before. These were succeeded by an elegant Valedictory oration *on Patriotism,* by Mr. Ebenezer Pemberton, in the close of which the usual addresses were delivered with such tenderness and marks of sincere affection as sensibly touched the whole audience. After the degrees were conferred, Mr. Joseph Periam, one of those who had just received the degree of Master of Arts, highly entertained the assembly with an animated and elegant oration *on Frugality.* A polite dialogue *on Liberty,* composed and delivered by three of the candidates for Batchelor's degrees, finished the business of the day.

The following young gentlemen were admitted to the degree of Batchelors of Arts,[1] Jacob Van Arsdalin, John

[1] The following biographical sketches are principally based on Alexander's "Princeton College in the Eighteenth Century," except where otherwise credited:

John Bacon was born in Canterbury, Conn., in 1737. After leaving College, he studied theology, and was ordained a Congregational Minister and preached for a time in Somerset County, Maryland. In 1771, he was settled with the Rev. John Hunt as a colleague pastor of the old South Church in Boston, as successor to the Rev John Blair. He

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Bacon, John Bay, Joel Benedict, Joseph Chambers, George Corbin, Gersham Cravan, William Davis, Jonathan Edwards, Samuel Finley, Joseph Finley, Richard Goodman, Robert Halstead, Richard Hutson, Samuel Kirtland, Al-

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left his church in 1775 on account of doctrinal difficulties which arose and removed to Stockbridge, Mass., and became in turn, a magistrate, a representative in the Legislature, Associate Judge of the Court of Common Pleas, a member and President of the State Senate, and a Member of Congress, 1801-3, affiliating with the Republican party. He was one of the original Trustees of Williams College. He died in Berkshire, Mass., October 25, 1820.—*Lanman's Dictionary of Congress*; *Sprague's Annals of the American Pulpit*, I., 686, note.

The ancestors of John Bay were Huguenots, who fled from France during the persecutions under Louis XIV., and went first to Holland and thence to Ireland, from which latter country his grandmother came to America in 1720, and settled in Maryland, with her two sons—Andrew and William, and probably Hugh, who graduated at Nassau Hall in 1750, and was a physician at Herbert's Cross Roads, near Deer Park, Md. Andrew was ordained to the ministry by the New Side Presbytery of New Castle, Del., some time prior to 1748, and was settled as pastor of various churches in Pennsylvania and Maryland until 1767, when he was transferred to the charge of the churches north of Albany, and ministered to them and to the Presbyterian church on Beaver street, Albany, until 1773, in which year he accepted a call to Newtown, L. I., remaining in charge for two years. He is understood to have died soon after 1776.—*Webster's Hist. Presbyterian Church in America*, 573-5; *Calendar N. Y. Hist. MSS.*, II., 770; *Annals of Albany*, I., 170; *Riker's Annals of Newtown*, 229-30. John Bay was the son of William and a nephew of the Rev. Andrew Bay; he was born August 15, 1743, probably in Maryland, but located in Albany while yet a young man, probably about the time his uncle was settled there. He graduated at Princeton in 1765. John Bay, schoolmaster, is witness to a will at Albany in 1771, which indicates what his early occupation was.—*Calendar of Albany Wills*, p. 427. He was secretary pro tem. of the Albany Committee of Correspondence, and in June, 1775, transmitted to the Provincial Congress of New York a letter just received from his classmate, the Rev. Samuel Kirkland.—*Annals of Albany*, VII., p. 211. He was elected a Deputy to the Provincial Congress of New York, May 10, 1775, from the First Ward of Albany. He sold 400 lbs. of powder in June, 1775, for the Continental Army.—*Calendar N. Y. Revolutionary MSS.*, I., 65, 69, 111, 113. He enlisted as a private in the First Company, Second Regiment (Colonel Philip Van Cortlandt), June 4, 1777, for the war, but is recorded as having deserted four days later. As nearly the whole company deserted at the same time, the offence was probably merely technical.—*Ib.*, II., 186, 320. He was also an enlisted man in the Eighth Regiment of the Albany County Militia.—*N. Y. Rev. Records*, by Comptroller Roberts, p.—. He represented Rensselaer County in the Assembly of New York, 1779-80. It was probably soon after this that he removed to Claverack, then in Albany, but now in Columbia County, where he practiced law. He is named as counsellor-at-law in witnessing the will of Killian Muller, of Claverack, Albany County, in 1782.—*Calendar Albany Wills*, p. 273. He is recorded among the lawyers present at the first court held in Albany after the Revolution, to wit: the Court of Common Pleas, January 10, 1785. His name appears frequently in the legal annals of that vicinity. In a sermon preached on his son, Dr. William Bay, by the Rev. Rufus Clark, for more than thirty years pastor of the Reformed Dutch Church of Albany, he makes particular mention of John Bay, as a lawyer of culture, and distinguished for his integrity, and refers to the valuable services rendered by him during the Revolution as a member of the local Committee of Safety and Correspondence. John Bay died at Claverack, June 10, 1818, and is buried there. He married Ann Williams, probably in 1772. They had two children: 1. William, b. Oct. 14, 1773, studied at Princeton, and became an eminent physician of Albany; reference has been made to the funeral sermon preached on his death, by the Rev. Rufus Clark: 2. John Bay, junior, a prominent resident of Albany for many years. In the preparation of the foregoing sketch the writer has been under special obligation to

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Richard W. Brass, of Albany, a great-great-grandson of John Bay, and who is a member of the same profession as his distinguished ancestor.

Joel Benedict was b. in Salem, New York, January 8, 1745. After leaving Princeton, he taught school in the South, but the climate affecting his health, he returned to Salem and studied theology under Dr. Bellamy. After his licensure he supplied destitute churches in Maine and Massachusetts until 1771, when he became pastor of a Congregational Church at Newent (now Lisbon), Connecticut, where he labored until 1781, when he resigned on account of his health, which had long been feeble. Recovering his health in 1784, he became pastor of the Church at Plainfield, Connecticut, where he preached with great acceptance until his death, February 13, 1816. In 1808 the honorary degree of Doctor of Divinity was conferred upon him by Union College, and in 1814 by Dartmouth. Mr. Benedict was a distinguished classical scholar, and was also profoundly versed in mathematics, while as a biblical scholar he had few superiors.

Gershom Craven, b. 1744; graduated at Princeton, 1765; it is said that his father was one of the Professors at Princeton at the time, but there are no College records of the Professors prior to 1767. Gershom attended medical lectures in the University of Pennsylvania, and settled at Ringoes, Hunterdon County, in 1771, practicing in that vicinity until 1812, when he became entirely disabled, by paralysis. He was surgeon of the Second Regiment of Hunterdon in the Revolution. He is said to have attended Lafayette while the young French officer was in that neighborhood. He died May 3, 1819. "He was popular, regular, persistent and successful in his profession."—*Medical History of Hunterdon County*, by John Blane, M. D., 86; *Hist. of First Century of Hunterdon County*, by the Rev. Geo. S. Mott D. D.

William Davies was the eldest son of President Davies, of Princeton College. After graduating in 1765, he studied law and settled at Norfolk, Virginia. In the Revolutionary War he attained the rank of Colonel in the American Army; was an officer of distinguished merit, and possessed, in an eminent degree, the esteem and confidence of Washington. He was a man of powerful mind, highly cultivated and enriched by various knowledge. He died in Virginia before 1820.

Jonathan Edwards, second son of President Edwards, was b. at Northampton, Mass., May 26, 1745. In February, 1760, he entered the Grammar School at Princeton, and in September, 1761, he entered the College, graduating in 1765. After leaving college he studied divinity with Dr. Bellamy, and was licensed by a Congregational Association at Litchfield, Connecticut, in 1766. In 1767 he was appointed tutor at Princeon, where he remained two years. On the 5th of January, 1769, he was ordained and became pastor of a church at White Haven, Conn., where he remained until January, 1796, when he was installed pastor of the church at Colebrook, Connecticut, where he hoped to spend his life in retirement; but in June, 1799, he was elected and inaugurated the President of Union College, where he remained until his death, August 1, 1801.

Robert Halsted was descended from Timothy Halsted, the first of the name in America, who came from England as early as 1660, and settled at Hemstead, L. I. His son, Timothy Halsted, Jr., removed to Elizabethtown early in the eighteenth century, where he d. Feb. 27, 1734-5, in his 77th year. The latter's eldest son, Caleb, of Hemstead and later of Elizabethtown, d. at the latter place in 1721. He left a son, Caleb, b. July 8, 1721; m. Sept. 16, 1744, Rebecca, daughter of Robert Ogden, 1st, and Phebe (Baldwin) Roberts; he d. at his residence, Halsted's Point, Elizabeth, June 4, 1784; she d. March 31, 1806. They had twelve children, the eldest being Robert, b. Sept. 13, 1746. After graduating from Princeton College at the age of nineteen he studied medicine, and practiced his profession in Elizabeth and vicinity for nearly sixty years. He was held in high esteem as a physician. It is said that he was demonstrative, bold, energetic and sometimes

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Stephen Vorrhies, Simon Williams, and Samuel Williams.

The following were admitted Master of Arts, Joseph Shippen, Esq; the Revd. Messrs. William Gordon and

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brusque in speech and manner. He was strict in his observance of the Sabbath, a regular church-goer, and always in his seat at the hour of worship. Being decided and outspoken in his patriotic sentiments at the beginning of the Revolution, he became obnoxious to the loyalists, and it is said that he was arrested and taken to New York and confined in the old Sugar House. He m., 1st, April 15, 1773, Mary Wiley; 2d, Oct. 1, 1787, Mary Mills, dau. of the Rev. William Mills, a grad. of Princeton, 1756; he d. Nov. 25, 1825; she d. May 20, 1841, aged 78. Dr. Halstead is probably buried in the First Presbyterian Churchyard, Elizabeth, but there is no tombstone to his memory in that burying ground. He had ten children: five by his first wife, and five by his second. Among his brothers were William, Sheriff of Essex County, 1790; Caleb, licensed as a physician, 1774, and who practiced until his death in 1827; Matthias, a Brigade Major in the Continental Army. See "Descendants of Rebecca Ogden, 1729-1806, and Caleb Halsted, 1721-1784," and Wickes's "Medical Men of New Jersey."

Richard Hutson was a son of the Rev. William Hutson, one of the early Presbyterian ministers in South Carolina, and was b. June 12, 1747. He entered the profession of the law after leaving Princeton, and practiced in Charleston, S. C., until the beginning of the Revolution. He was a member of the Continental Congress from South Carolina in 1774, 1776 and 1778, and in the latter year was taken prisoner by the British and confined for some time in St. Augustine, Florida. He was Intendant of Charleston, 1783-8; became Chancellor of South Carolina in 1784, and Senior Judge of the Chancery Court in 1791. He was a member of the State Convention that ratified the Federal Constitution in 1788. He d. at Philadelphia in 1793.—*Appleton's Cyclopedia of American Biography.*

Samuel Kirkland was b. at Norwich, Conn., December 1, 1741, son of the Rev. Dr. Kirkland (b. at Saybrook, 1701), who was pastor of the Third Congregational Church at Norwich, 1723-1753, 1758-1773. Samuel entered the sophomore class at Princeton in 1762, and held a high rank as a scholar during his college course, and was esteemed a young man of marked ability. He left college eight months before his class graduated, but nevertheless received his degree. It was in November, 1764, that he went on a missionary expedition to the Seneca tribe of Indians, the most warlike and distant tribe of the Six Nations, a scene of constant hardships, of unremitting labour, and often of imminent danger. After being a year absent he returned to his home in Norwich, Connecticut, bringing one of the Seneca Chiefs with him. He was now ordained and returned to his mission, where he spent more than forty years. It was through his influence that Hamilton Oneida Academy was founded and incorporated in 1793. In the same year he conveyed to its Trustees several hundred acres of land. In 1812 this academy became Hamilton College, under a new charter. Mr. Kirkland was admitted to a Master's degree at Yale in 1768, and at Dartmouth in 1773. He died February 28, 1808.—*Sprague's Annals of the American Pulpit*, I., 623-630.

Alexander Mitchel received his license from the First Presbytery of Philadelphia, in April, 1767, and was ordained and settled as pastor of the Deep Run Presbyterian Church, Bucks County, Penn., in November, 1768. In 1785, he received a call from the Upper Octorara and Doe Run Congregations, Pennsylvania, and was installed December 14, 1785. He resigned the charge of Octorara in 1796, but continued the pastor of Doe Run until 1809, when, by reason of advancing years, he was unable to minister to them. He died December 6, 1812.

Jonathan Ogden was from Elizabethtown, probably a cousin of Robert Ogden, 3d. He returned to that place after graduating. He never entered a profession.

Robert Ogden, 3d, son of Robert and Phebe (Hatfield) Ogden, was born at Elizabeth Town, March 23, 1746, in the house afterwards occupied by General Matthias Ogden, and subsequently by Joel Davis. After graduating from Princeton College, in 1765, he studied law with Richard Stockton. He was admitted to the New Jersey bar, June 21,

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William Ramsay, Isaac Allen, Absalom Bainbridge, Ebenezer Hazard, James Manning, Nathaniel Manning, Joseph Periam, Jonathan Seargeant, and Jasper Smith. . . . . The Revd. Thomas Romeyn, and Mr. Jedidiah

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1770, and began the practice of law at Elizabethtown. To him, in connection with William Paterson, Luther Martin, Oliver Ellsworth and Tapping Reeve, is ascribed the founding of the American Cliosophic Society, which dates its origin back to 1765. He was a fine scholar, and kept up his classical reading after entering upon his profession. Being a warm and earnest patriot, he was obliged to move with his family to Morristown in 1776 for safety from British raids. In this year he was commissioned surrogate by Gov. Livingston. In 1777 he removed again to Turkey, now New Providence, in what is now Union County. In 1780 (May term) he was called up as one of the twelve sergeants-at-law of New Jersey. After the war he was compelled to leave the seaboard on account of the asthma, and in the spring of 1786 he removed to Sussex county, where he resided during the remainder of his life, his homestead being about two miles north of the village of Sparta. The house was built by Cornelius Hoagland near the close of the Revolutionary War, and was conveyed with ten acres of land to Robert Ogden, Jun. (3d), by his father, Robert Ogden (2d), in 1786. Here his children were brought up and his youngest were born. This house witnessed great hospitality and many distinguished visitors were entertained there. It now forms a part of the Fowler estate. In 1787 he was one of the members of the convention called to approve the Constitution of the United States. He was married by Rev. John Close, May 19, 1772, to Sarah Platt, daughter of Dr. Zopher Platt and Rebecca Wood; she was born at Huntington, L. I., Sept. 27, 1750; she d. Jan. 21, 1782; she had five children. He was married, (2), by Rev. Nathan Woodhull to Hannah Platt, sister of his first wife, Mar. 12, 1786. She was b. Dec. 17, 1756, and d. on Thursday, May 7, 1812, of a cancer in the breast. She had three children. "She endured much pain with great fortitude and Christian resignation." He d. Feb. 14, 1826, in his 80th year, at the residence of his grandson, the Hon. Daniel Haines, at Hamburgh, Sussex county, and was buried at Sparta, beside his 2d wife, Hannah Platt. His first wife (Sarah Platt) is buried at Elizabeth.—See sketch of Robert Ogden, written for the History of the Cliosophic Society, by Gov. Daniel Haines; the Rev. A. A. Haines's "Hardyston Memorial;" "Descendants of Robert Ogden, 2d, 1716-1787," by Edmund Drake Halsey, 1896.

Ebenezer Pemberton was probably born in Boston. He pronounced the Valedictory at Princeton College on Commencement day, 1765, on "Patriotism." He was appointed a tutor in the college in 1769. On one of the public occasions, while he was a tutor, he was addressed by Madison, then a student, in a Latin address, valedictory and complimentary, on the part of the class, to the teacher. His life was devoted to teaching, and at one time in Phillips' Academy. He was admitted to an ad eundem Master's degree at Harvard in 1787, at Yale in 1781, and at Dartmouth in 1782. In 1817 he received the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws from Allegheny College. He died June 25, 1835.

David Ramsay was a Pennsylvanian by birth. After leaving Princeton he studied medicine, and settled in Charleston, S. C., where he rose to eminence. During the Revolution he was a determined Whig, and a leading member of the Legislature. He also acted as a Surgeon in the Army. From 1782 to 1786 he was a Delegate to the Continental Congress, and was for a time President pro tem. His first wife was the daughter of President Witherspoon. He met his death by a pistol shot at the hands of an insane man, in 1815. Dr. Ramsay is chiefly celebrated for his historical works.

Dirck Romeyn is said to have been descended from Claes or Klaese (Nicholas) Jansen Romeyn, who, according to family tradition, migrated from Amsterdam to Brazil, between 1650 and 1660, and came thence to New Netherland about 1653. It is more probable that it was his father, Jan Romeyn, who was the emigrant, and that Claes was but an infant, if he was here as early as 1653, for it was not until May 2, 1680, that he m. Styntje Albertse Terhune. He bought a plantation, March 3, 1679, at Gravesend, L. I., where he resided several years. In

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Chapman were admitted to the honorary degree of Master of Arts.

Upon the whole we cannot but do the young gentlemen the justice to observe, that such a spirit of liberty and ten-

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1696 he bought a tract of 300 acres of land between the Hackensack and Saddle rivers, to which he added 600 acres in 1697. He was a cooper by trade. He lived near Hackensack about ten years, removing thence to Shappekenike, or Greenwich, now in New York city, where he died. Kristyna Ter Heune, wid. of Klaes Jansen Romeyn, Minades Island (i. e., from Manhattan Island), was received into the Hackensack church by letter, May 18, 1732.—*History of Paterson, by William Nelson*, I., 210. In the work just quoted details are given of the children and grandchildren of Claes Jansen Romeyn, which indicate this line of descent for Dirck: Jan, son Claes Jansen, m. Lammetie Bongaert, May 20, 1699, and was the father of Klaes, bap. Feb. 25, 1700, m. 1st, Elizabeth Outwater, May 20, 1726; she d. Sept. —, 1732, leaving one son, Thomas, b. March 9, 1729; he graduated at Princeton College in 1762, and became a noted preacher in the Reformed Dutch Church. Nicholas Romeyn in April, 1733, "trod again in the honorable state of matrimony with Rachel Vreelandt," according to his Dutch family bible. (The Hackensack Dutch church records, in chronicling the baptisms of their children, in at least one instance, 1744, gives her name as Marretje.) They had Dirk, bap. at Hackensack Aug. 1, 1736, who d. in inf. On Jan. 12, 1744, was b. another son, who was bap. at Hackensack Jan. 29, 1744, Dirk. This was used by the Dutch in Northern New Jersey generally as the equivalent of Richard, but sometimes for Theodorick. The latter interpretation was assumed by the boy born in 1744. Upon graduating at Princeton in 1765 he received, besides his small parchment diploma, a certificate of his religious conduct and standing, signed by President Finley, at Princeton, Sept. 28, 1765. After leaving College he studied theology, part of the time under the Rev. J. M. Goetschius, of Hackensack and Schraalenburgh, who preached his ordination sermon, in May, 1766, when he was called to the pastorate of the Dutch churches of Marbletown, Rochester and Wawarsing, Ulster county, N. Y. He became pastor of the churches of Hackensack and Schraalenburgh in May, 1776, just at the beginning of the Revolution. When the British pursued Washington through Hackensack in November, 1776, they plundered Dominie Romeyn's house and destroyed all his furniture, books and papers. He then removed his family to New Paltz, and thence to his mother-in-law's at Marbletown, where they remained nearly two years. He made frequent but brief visits to his congregation, often at great personal risk, he being obnoxious to the British and their tory sympathizers. He received many calls to other and better charges, but it was not until 1784 that he concluded to change, and accepted a call to Schenectady. Here he was largely instrumental in establishing an academy, which subsequently developed into Union College. He received the degree of D. D. in 1789, from Queen's College, and in 1797 was appointed a Professor of Theology by the General Synod. He d. April 16, 1804. He m. June 11, 1767, Elizabeth, dau. of Wessels and Catherine (Dubois) Brodhead; she d. July 27, 1815. One of their children was the Rev. John Brodhead Romeyn.

Jacob Rush was a brother of Dr. Benjamin Rush. On Commencement day, 1765, he pronounced an oration on Liberty. Mr. Rush entered the profession of the law, and rose to a distinguished position. He was for many years presiding Judge of the Court of Common Pleas for Philadelphia. He was afterwards Chief Justice of the State. He died in 1820.

John Staples was a native of Taunton, Massachusetts, and was a lineal descendant of Miles Standish. He entered the ministry of the Congregational Church, and was ordained April 17, 1772, and installed as pastor of the Church at Westminster, Connecticut. He remained in this charge until his death, which took place February 15, 1804.

Alexander Thayer became pastor of the Congregational Church at Paxton, Massachusetts, November 28, 1770. During the Revolution he was suspected of favoring the British cause, and although these suspicions were groundless, yet, for the sake of peace in his congrega-

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der regard for their suffering country breathed in their several performances, as gave an inexpressible pleasure to a very crouded assembly. To testify their zeal to promote frugality and industry (so warmly recommended in several of their performances) they unanimously agreed, sometime before the commencement, to appear on that public occasion dressed in American manufactures, which very laudable resolution they all executed, excepting four or five, whose failure was entirely owing to disappointments, though we doubt not they made a much more decent appearance in the eyes of every patriot present, than if the richest production of *Europe* or *Asia* had been employed to adorn them to the best advantage. We can with pleasure take this opportunity to inform the public, that

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tion, he resigned his charge August 14, 1782, and removed to Hollliston, Mass., where he ended his days.

Jacob Vanartsdalen, a native of Somerset County, New Jersey, was b. Feb. 8, 1745, the sixth son of Philip Van Artsdalen, who was b. Feb. 12, 1701, and d. June 17, 1797, at Somerset. He was ordained by the Presbytery of New Brunswick, June 19, 1771; in which connection he remained until the latter part of 1774, when he was received by the Presbytery of New York and put in charge of the Church of Springfield, New Jersey. He continued in the orderly and faithful performance of the duties of the office, as far as his health permitted, for more than a quarter of a century. In the spring of 1797, and again three years later, he was, by reason of long continued illness, disqualified for preaching. He was at length compelled to relinquish the pastoral office, and was dismissed from the charge, May 6, 1801. From 1793 to 1802 Mr. Vanartsdalen was a Trustee of Princeton College. He died at Springfield, N. J., October 24, 1803. His wife was Mary Sutphen, of Somerset, who survived him. They had three daughters and one son, Elias Van Arsdale, a prominent lawyer, of Newark.—*Hatfield's Elizabeth*, 570.

Stephen Voorhees was b. in 1740, being a son of Isaac Voorhees (b. March 16, 1716), whose father, Jan Lucasse Van Voorhis, was b. at Flatlands, L. I., but removed to Six Mile Run, Somerset county, with three of his brothers—all sons of Lucas Stevense Van Voorhees—and all four of them were among the founders of the Six Mile-Run Dutch church in 1717. After graduating at Princeton College in 1765, Stephen studied theology and probably taught school for a time. He was licensed by the General Meeting of Ministers and Elders of the Reformed Dutch Church in 1772., and was ordained and settled at Poughkeepsie, New York, in 1773, where he remained until 1776. From 1776 to 1784 he was pastor of the Reformed Dutch Church at Rhinebeck Flats, N. Y.; and from 1785 to 1788 at Philipsburg (Tarrytown) and Cortlandtown, New York. In 1792 he joined the Presbytery of New Brunswick, and preached as a supply at Kingston and Assunpink, New Jersey, until his death, November 23, 1796. He m. Elizabeth Clausen, b. 1749, d. Feb. 23, 1805. See The Van Voorhees Family, 358; Corwin's Manual of the Reformed Dutch Church; Our Home (Magazine), etc.

Simeon Williams was a native of Easton, Massachusetts. After graduating, he studied theology, and was installed pastor of the Second Congregational Church at Weymouth, Massachusetts, October 27, 1768, where he remained until his death, which occurred May 22, 1819. Mr. Williams was admitted to a Master's degree at Harvard in 1769.

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the undergraduates have agreed to follow this noble example. If young gentlemen of fortune and education, many of whom will probably shine in the various spheres of public life, would thus voluntarily throw aside those articles of superfluity and luxury, which have almost beggared us, and exert themselves for the encouragement of industry, it is not easy to conceive what a wide extended influence their conduct will naturally have on all the lower ranks of mankind.

At a meeting of the Lawyers at the Supream Court held at Perth Amboy, on the 20th ult. like true born sons of Liberty, and lovers of their country, the chief Justice[1] having proposed the following *Queries* agreed and came into the undermentioned *Resolves,* which will always redound to their Honor.

First. Whether if the Stamps should arrive, and be placed at the city of Burlington, by or after the first of November, they would, as practitioners, agree to purchase them, or any of them for the necessary proceedings in the law?

Resolved, by the whole body N. C. they would not, but rather suffer their private interest, to give way to the public good, protesting at the same time against all indecent and riotous behaviour, which they will discountenance by every means in their power to preserve order, and by an absolute refusal to make use of the Stamps, and other quiet methods, endeavour to obtain a repeal of the law.

Second. Whether it was their opinion, that should the act take place the duties could possibly be paid in gold and silver?

Answered by the whole body. It could not be paid in gold and silver even for one year.

Third. Their opinion was desired, whether, as the act

[1] Frederick Smyth.

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required, the Governor and Chief Justice to superintend the distributor, he should be obliged to take charge of the distribution of the Stamps by order and appointment of the Governor, if he should think proper to fix upon him for that office.

Answered and advised not to take it upon him, the Governor not being impowered by the act to appoint, or if he was, it was left to the Chief Justices option, and that it would be incompatible with his office as C. Justice.

We hear the Speaker of the New-Jersey Assembly has wrote to all the Members to meet at Prince Town to appoint some of their body to go to the congress at New-York.

Custom-House, Philadelphia, Entered In. Brig Invention, J. Eldridge, from Salem N. Jersey.

Outwards. Schooner Polly, A. Mansfield, for Salem N. Jersey.

Mr. Bradford,

I AM *desired by his excellency the governor, to send you the enclosed advertisement, that the same may be inserted in your next journal, that the good people of this province may not be imposed on by false reports relative to the governors conduct, with respect to the detaining the letter from the speaker of the general court of Massachusetts Bay, to the speaker of the general assembly of this colony, and his refusing to summon the assembly to meet.*

I am, Sir,

Your very humble servant.

Burlington, CHARLES READ.

October 2, 1765.

Burlington, New-Jersey, October 1, 1765.

WHEREAS a report has for some time past been circu-

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lated, that the governor of this province received the letter sent by the speaker of the general court of Massachusetts-Bay,[1] to the speaker of the Assembly of N. Jersey, detain'd it in his possession till the last day of the late meeting at Burlington, and by his management, prevailed on the assembly not to accept of the invitation to send commissioners to N. York. And whereas a paper has been printed and published at Philadelphia, positively asserting, "that the governor of N. Jersey has made *strong* "*efforts* to subdue the *spirit of liberty* in his government, "and *arbitrarily refuses* to give his assembly an opportun-"ity to join the other assemblies in decent remonstrances "against the *stamp law*, altho' *nine tenths* of the people "of the Jerseys now *vehemently desire* it. Nor does he "confine himself to his own government alone, but by the "assistance of Mr. G-----y[2] is said to have *practised* on the "eight members of a certain county, not very remote from "him, in order to get them to carry a vote against sending "commissioners to New-York, that the Pennsylvania as-"sembly might thus keep the Jersey one in countenance."

Now this is to assure the public, that so far from having *received* and *detained* the above mentioned letter, I have not yet *seen* it: that I never heard of any such letter being sent to, or received by, the speaker, till the day after the House had finished their business, and were prorogued, when I was told that they had it under their consideration, and had ordered an answer to be wrote at the table, acquainting the speaker of Massachusetts that they *unanimously* declined complying with the proposal from the assembly of that province; nor was the said answer ever shewn to me, tho' wrote the 20th of June last, until some time in the beginning of September. That from the

[1] Pursuant to resolves of the Massachusetts House of Representatives, of June 6, 1765. The circular letter is published in Niles's Register, I., 12.

[2] Doubtless Joseph Galloway is meant.

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last sessions to this present time, not a single member of the council, or house of representatives, nor any other person whatever in the provinces, has desired me to call another meeting, of the assembly. That it is well known to several of the representatives, that I have often declared I would always, if in my power, give the house an opportunity of meeting, when the speaker and nine or ten members should represent to me that the business of the public made it necessary. . . . . And I do likewise aver, that so far from my having practised on the eight members of Bucks county, in order to get them to carry a vote against sending commissioners from Pennsylvania to New-York, I have not, to my knowledge, seen one of them these two years past; nor have I, either thro' Mr. Galloway, or otherwise, had the least connection or correspondence with them, or any other person in the county, on any subject whatever. Nor have I, either to Mr. Galloway, or to any one man in Pennsylvania, given the least intimation that it would or would not, be agreeable to me, that the assembly of that province should send commissioners to the intended congress.

I should not have thought it necessary to give this public refutation of the falsehood contained in the report and paper above mentioned, had they not been propagated and published with a view of taking advantage of the present commotions to excite a difference between me and a people for whom I have a great regard, and with whom I have lived in uninterrupted harmony ever since my arrival in the government. And I cannot help expressing my surprize that Mr. Shippen the deputy governor's secretary, Mr. Chew the attorney general, and others of the principal officers of the government of Pennsylvania, could have given their public countenance to such a flagrant piece of injustice. This they did (as I am credibly

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inform'd) by employing the clerk of the court to read aloud the paper quoted above to a large number of people collected by their agents for the purpose, and signifying their approbation by loud huzzas at the close of every paragraph.

As to what is contained in the said paper relative to my father's being concerned in the planning and promoting the *stamp act,* it is grossly false, and consequently a shameful imposition on the people. Not a gentleman, of the proprietary party, even among those, who scruple not to aver the truth of it in conversation, can, I am convinced, be found so hardned as to avow in print, with his name subscribed, that he believes it to be true, or to undertake to produce any proofs in its support. . . . . My father is absent . . . . but he has left friends enough on the spot, who are both capable and willing to clear him from any aspersions which the malice of the proprietary party can suggest. To those friends I leave the defence of the reputation, if it can need any, being determined to concern myself no further with the disputes of Pennsylvania than as they relate to my character, or have reference to the publick transactions of this province.

WILLIAM FRANKLIN.

TO BE SOLD,

By PUBLIC VENDUE, on Thursday the 24th of October next, between the hours of three and five in the afternoon, on the premisses,

A HOUSE and lot of ground situated in Kingsbury, in the township of Nottingham and county of Burlington, on the public road between Trenton bridge, and the ferry, containing in breadth sixty feet, and in depth one hundred and eighty one feet; the house almost new, and neatly finished; the lot inclosed with a good board fence; there

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is a good garden and a well in the yard, and on the lot adjoining a new stable and coach house belonging to the house. The purchaser may have a lease of the lot on which the stable stands, paying thirty shillings per annum: Half the purchase money to be paid immediately; six months credit will be given for the remainder. Any one inclining to purchase before the day of sale, may know the terms by applying to Doctor Ralph Asheton[1] on the premisses.

N. B. As the Doctor proposes returning to Philadelphia in a few weeks, he desires all those indebted to him to make immediate payment, and those who have any demands to bring in their accounts for settlement.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1191, *October* 3, 1765.

On Saturday the 5th inst. the Ship Royal Charlotte, Capt. Holland, came up to this city, attended by his Majesty's ship Sardine, James Hawker, Esq; commander. Capt. Holland having brought from London the Stamp'd Papers for Maryland, New-Jersey and this province, remained some time at New-Castle on Delaware, under protection of the Man of War. On the first appearance of those ships round Gloucester Point, all the vessels in the harbour hoisted their colours half mast high, the bells begun to ring, being first muffled, and continued so until the

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1 Ralph Assheton was a descendant of Robert Assheton, a kinsman of William Penn, who came from Salford Hundred, near Manchester, England, about 1699, at Penn's invitation, and straightway became clerk and prothonotary of Philadelphia. He was a member of the Provincial Council, 1711-19, 1722-7, and was Mayor in 1724. He died in 1727. William Assheton, his son, who had been educated for the law at Gray's Inn, was a member of the Provincial Council in 1722, and was judge of the Admiralty Court several years. He died in 1723, aged 33 years. Ralph Assheton, a younger son of Robert, was appointed to the Provincial Council in 1728, and held various other offices. He died in 1746, aged 51 years. The parents of Dr. Assheton were Ralph Assheton, esquire (who died in Philadelphia, July 9, 1773), and Susannah Redman, his wife. Dr. Assheton was probably about 28 or 29 years of age when he settled at Kingsbury, and doubtless had been settled there only a short time when he advertised his house to be sold, October 24, 1765, with a view to his returning to Philadelphia. He died in Philadelphia, January 4, 1774, intestate.—*History of Philadelphia*, by Scharf and Westcott, 1506-7; *Wickes's History of Medicine in N. J.*, 129.

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evening, and every countenance added to the appearance of sincere mourning for the approaching loss of LIBERTY. At four o'clock in the afternoon several thousand citizens met at the State-House, to consider the proper ways and means for preventing that unconstitutional Act of Parliament (the STAMP-ACT) being carried into execution; the first measure was to send seven of their number to Mr. HUGHES, Stamp-Distributor for this province, to request he would resign that office. He assured them, no act of his should tend to carry that Law into execution here; until it was generally complied with in the other colonies, but refused to sign any resignation at that time for various reasons which he assigned: On the Gentlemen's return to the State-House, and reporting this answer, the company were instantly transported with resentment, and it is impossible to say what lengths their rage might have carried them, had not the gentlemen who waited on Mr. HUGHES represented him in the light he appeared to them! at the point of death; his situation raised their compassion, and they happily communicated their feelings to all the people assembled, and instead of the multitude repairing instantly to his house for a positive answer, they agreed to make their requisition in writing, and gave Mr. HUGHES until Monday morning to make reply; in consequence of this determination, a short paper was instantly drawn up and sent him, and on Monday morning the deputies received from him a writing which was brought to the Court-House, and there read aloud to a vast concourse of people, as follows,

WHEREAS about six o'clock on Saturday evening last, a paper was sent to me, expressing, that "a great number "of the citizens of Philadelphia, assembled at the State-"House do demand of Mr. JOHN HUGHES, Distributor "of Stamps for Pennsylvania, that he will give them as-

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"surance under his hand, that he will not execute that of-
"fice, and expect that he will give them a fair, candid, and
"direct answer by Monday next, ten o'clock, when he will
"be waited on for that purpose."

Saturday, October 5, 1765,

I DO THEREFORE return for answer to those gentlemen, and all their associates, that I have not hitherto taken any step tending to put the late Act of Parliament into execution in this province, and that I will not either by my self or my deputies, do any act or thing, that shall have the least tendency to put the said Act into execution in this province, until the said Act shall be put into execution generally in the neighbouring colonies, and this I am determined to abide by.

And whereas my commission includes the three Counties of New-Castle, Kent and Sussex, upon Delaware, I do therefore hereby, voluntarily, inform the good people of those counties, that no act of mine shall, either directly or indirectly, involve them into any difficulties, with respect to the said STAMP ACT, before the same shall take place generally in the neighbouring colonies.

JOHN HUGHES.[1]

This paper from Mr. HUGHES at first gained the approbation of three Huzza's, but we find many people much dissatisfied with it since, as they think he ought to have

[1] John Hughes was a grandson of John Hughes and Jane Evans, of Merionethshire, Wales. In 1680 their son, Hugh, then nine years old, ran away and came to America, whither his parents followed him, settling in Upper Merion, now in Montgomery County, Pa. Hugh, their only child, married Martha, only daughter of Hugh and Martha Jones, of Upper Merion. He was a tanner, in Philadelphia. Hugh Hughes had four children, among them John, who m. Sarah Jones in 1738, and died in Charleston, S. C., Feb. 1, 1772, aged 60 years; he was the Stamp Distributor for Philadelphia. His younger brother, Hugh Hughes, was in business in New York at the beginning of the Revolution, was an active "Son of Liberty," was Deputy Quartermaster General of the Continental Army, and Quartermaster General of the State of New York during the Revolution. He died at Tappan, N. Y., March 29, 1802, in his 75th year. Both John and Hugh left descendants in New Jersey. The latter, Col. Hugh Hughes, had a granddaughter, Sydney Maria Stotesbury, who m. Philemon Dickerson, Governor of New Jersey and U. S. District Court Judge, 1841-63; she d. in Paterson, N. J., in 1900.

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resigned his office without reservation; and from the spirit which discovers itself amongst all ranks of people, we have reason to think this declaration would not have quieted the inhabitants, had Mr. Hughes been in better health. Capt. Hawker having taken the Stamp'd Papers on board his Majesty's ship, prevents them from being exposed to the resentment of an injured and enraged people. Thus have we, in some degree, followed the example of our fellow sufferers in the neighbouring colonies, and the cool thinking people amongst us congratulate themselves and their country on finding spirit enough exerted to put us on the same footing with the rest of the continent, and that this was done by *men,* who had moderation not to proceed to any necessary acts of violence. It may not be amiss to inform the public, that Mr. HUGHES, did declare upon his honor, he would not receive or take any charge of the Stamp'd Paper, and as we have no reason to doubt his firm adherence to any resolution he makes, we think there is no danger of their being distributed in this province.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1192, *October* 10, 1765.

New-York, October 10. On Monday last the Commissioners from the several Colonies, appointed for holding the general Congress, being all arrived, assembled and entered upon the Business. The most important that ever came under Consideration in America.

The following is a List of the Gentlemen assembled.

Massachusetts-Bay.	James Otis, Oliver Partridge, and Timothy Ruggles, Esqrs.
Rhode-Island.	Metcalf Bowler, and Henry Ward, Esqrs.

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Connecticut.	Eliphalet Dyar, Samuel Wm. Johnson, and, David Rowland, Esqrs.
New-York.	John Cruger, Robert R. Livingston Philip Livingston William Bayard, and, Leonard Lispenard, Esqrs.
New-Jersey.	Robert Ogden Hendrick Fisher, and, Joseph Borden, Esqrs.
Pennsylvania.	John Dickinson John Morton, and George Bryan, Esqrs.
Government of the Counties of New-Castle, Kent and Sussex on Delaware.	Jacob Kollock, Cæsar Rodney, and Thomas McKean, Esqrs.
Maryland.	William Murdock, Edmond Tilghman, and Thomas Ringgold, Esqrs.
South Carolina.	Thomas Lynch, Christopher Gadsden, and, John Rutlidge, Esqrs.

Essex County, New-Jersey, } ss. PURSUANT to an Order of Samuel Woodruff, and Stephen Crane, Esqrs. two of the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas for the County of Essex, upon the Petition of Daniel Price, an Insolvent Debtor, and the Majority of his Creditors, Notice is hereby given to all the Creditors of said Daniel Price, to shew Cause, if any they have, before the said Judges, on Thursday the 31st Inst. October, at 9 o'Clock of the same Day, at the Court-House in Elizabeth-

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Town, why an Assignment of the Estate of said Daniel Price, should not be made, according to the Prayer of said Petition, to Messrs. John Blanchard, and Thomas Price, and the said Daniel be thereupon admitted to the Benefit of an Act of the Governor, Council, and General Assembly of this Province, made this present Year, entitled, "An Act for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors."

October 7, 1765.

—*The New York Gazette or Weekly Post Boy, October* 10, 1765.

We hear from New-Jersey, that Mr. ROBERT OGDEN, Speaker of the Assembly there, and Messieurs BORDEN HART and FISHER, are the Gentlemen appointed to join the General Congress at New York.

Hunterdon County, New Jersey, ss.

October 7, 1765

BY Order of the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas, held at Trenton, in and for the said County of Hunterdon, the 1st Day of November next is appointed for all Persons, Creditors of the Subscriber, being insolvent, to appear at the Court-house, in said County, at 3 o'Clock in the Afternoon of the said Day, to shew Cause, if any they have, why an Assignment of the said Debtor's Estate should not be made, and the said Debtor discharged, pursuant to an Act of Assembly of this Province, for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors, lately made and provided for that Purpose.

JAMES CHAMBERS.

Salem County, West New-Jersey, October 1, 1765.

PURSUANT to an Act of General Assembly, lately passed, intituled, "An Act for the Relief of insolvent Debtors," James Popenes, an insolvent Debtor, now con-

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fined in Salem Goal, hereby gives Notice, that he intends to take the Benefit of the said Act, in order to his Discharge; and the Judges of the Inferior Court of Common Pleas, for the County aforesaid, have appointed Thursday, the 24th Day of this inst. October, for the Creditors of the above insolvent Debtor to meet at the Court-house, in the Town of Salem, to shew Cause, if any they have, why an Assignment of the said Debtor's Estate should not be made, and said Debtor discharged, according to the Form and Effect of the said Act.

NOTICE is hereby given to all Persons whom it may concern, that there was a Petition laid before the House of General Assembly, for the Province of New-Jersey, held at the City of Burlington in June last past, for the Building a bridge over Great Timber Creek; and as there were no Opposers to said Petition, this is to inform all whom it may concern, that at the next Sessions, if any Persons have any Objections, they will be heard, otherwise there will be an Act passed for the Confirmation of the same.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1920, *October* 10, 1765.

THIS is to give Notice to all the Creditors of George Williams, an insolvent Debtor, confined in the Goal of Burlington to appear at Burlington on the 7th Day of November, before Robert Smith, and Thomas Rodman, Esquires, to shew Cause why said Williams should not assign over in Trust to Joseph Borden, Esq; and Mr. Thomas Lawrie,[1] all and singular his Estate, whether real or personal, for the Use and Behoof of his Creditors in general.

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[1] Thomas Lowry, a prominent merchant of Trenton.

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Bordentown, September 26, 1765.

"On Sunday, the 22d Instant, departed this Life, at his House in this Town, JOSEPH BORDEN,[1] Esq; in the 79th. Year of his Age; and the Tuesday following was

[1]THE BORDEN FAMILY.

RICHARD BORDEN, born 1601, was admitted an inhabitant of Aquidneck, R. I., in 1638, and on May 20 was allotted five acres. On March 16, 1641, he became a freeman. In 1665 he and Benjamin Borden (his son, then a minor), James Grover and others, all of Gravesend, L. I., bought considerable tracts of land at Neversink, Narumson and Portupick, in Monmouth county, N. J., for which he contributed £9, and was allotted three shares. Richard was a Deputy to the General Court in 1667-70, indicating that he had returned from Long Island, if, indeed, he ever removed from Rhode Island. He died May 25, 1671, and was buried in "the burying place that Robert Dennis gave Friends in Portsmouth," R. I. His (nuncupative) will was proved May 31, 1671, by the Town Council, on testimony concerning the wishes of the deceased. By its provisions land in New Jersey was left to his son Francis. His personal estate was inventoried at £1572 8s. 9d.—*Genealogical Dictionary of Rhode Island*, by John Osborne Austin, 1887, 23-24; *Monmouth County Deeds*, ABC; *Hist. Burlington and Mercer Counties*, 454; *Old Times in Old Monmouth*, 207; *Borden Genealogy*. His children were:

Second Generation.

1. Thomas[2], m. Mary Harris, Jan. 20, 1664; d. Nov. 25, 1676; she d. March 22, 1718. He lived at Portsmouth, R. I.
2. ii. Francis[2].
   iii. Mary[2], married John Cook, and died before 1691.
   iv. Matthew[2], born May, 1638; married Sarah Clayton, May 4, 1674; died July 5, 1708; she died April 19, 1735. He lived at Portsmouth, R. I. He was "the first English child born on Rhode Island," say Friends' records. He owned land on Cooper's Creek, Gloucester county, in 1685. A patent was issued to him for 400 acres on Crosswicks Creek and John Tomlinson's Run, 4th mo. 1695.—*N. J. Archives*, XXI., 377, 651.
   v. John[2], born September, 1640; married Mary Earle, Dec. 25, 1670; died June 4, 1716; she died June, 1734. He lived at Portsmouth, R. I. He devised to his daughters, Hope and Mary Borden, all his lands in Shrewsbury, N. J., and certain lands in Pennsylvania. He owned land in Monmouth county as early as 1687. See N. J. Archives, XXI.
   vi. Joseph[2], born July 3, 1643; married Hope ——. He lived at Portsmouth, R. I., and at Barbadoes, W. I. Joseph Borden, of Chester county, Pa., cordwainer, bought a tract of 356 acres of land at Oneanickon, alias Carmell, Springfield township, Burlington county, Dec. 1, 1701.—*N. J. Archives*, XXI., 531.
   vii. Sarah[2], born May, 1644; married Jonathan Holmes; she died about 1705; he died in 1713.
   viii. Samuel[2], born July, 1645; married Elizabeth Crosse, June 1, 1679. On Feb. 10, 1672, he sold Lewis Mattox, of Portsmouth, R. I., a share of land in Monmouth, N. J. He is said to have removed to Westchester, N. Y., prior to to his marriage, but was afterwards at Philadelphia, where he died. He was a member of the West Jersey Assembly in 1682, says Smith's Hist. of N. J., 151. There was surveyed for Samuel Borden a tract of 200 acres "at Hatt's Plantation on the northwest side of the road from Burlington to Shrowsburry," Feb. 21, 1681-2.—*N. J. Archives*, XXI., 350. This tract was conveyed by his administrators about 1694.—*Ib.*, 372. Administration on the estate in West Jersey of Samuel Borden was granted Feb. 8, 1692-3, to Francis Rawle, of Philadelphia, merchant, principal creditor of the deceased; Thomas Budd, of Philadelphia, and John Budd, of Burlington, were bondsmen for the administrator.—*Burlington Records*, p. 19; *N. J. Archives*, XXIV., 46. Francis Rawle, administrator of the estate of Samuel Borden, of Pennsylvania, dec'd, and Thomas Woodroof, of Salem, late of London, conveyed to James

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interred in a plain and decent Manner, in the Presence of a great Concourse of People.

"That Gentleman came to this Place in the Year 1719, which at that Time was a mere Wilderness, notwith-

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Antram, of Mansfield, Burlington, yeoman, one twenty-fourth of a share of the Province, bought by Woodroof of Borden.—*Ib.*, 454. Was this the same person?

3. ix. Benjamin[2], born May, 1649; married Abigail Grover, Sept. 22, 1670.

2. FRANCIS[2] BORDEN was a freeman of Portsmouth in 1655. He removed to Shrewsbury, N. J., in 1665, or soon after. The first Friends' meeting in New Jersey is said to have been held at his house, in 1672. The court was held at his house, Sept. 3, 1678. He married Jane Vicars, 12th of 4th mo., 1677. He d. in Shrewsbury, 19th 1st mo., 1704-5. His will, dated May 24, 1703, describes him as of Shrewsbury, yeoman. In it he devises lands patented March 25, 1687, and other tracts bought May 4, 1696, and of his brother, John Borden, April 7, 1700; also property in the Parish of Goudherst (Goldhurst), Kent, England, inherited from Francis Fowle, of Cranbrook, county of Kent, by his will of October 8, 1632. This is suggestive of the origin of the Borden family, although Fowle was probably a connection or an ancestor in the maternal line. Francis Borden appointed his wife and his son Francis executors of his will. His personal estate was inventoried at £106, 11, 6.—*East Jersey Wills*, Lib. 1, p. 151. The "Jean Borden" who in 1707 was induced to contribute £3 toward a fund said to be for the purpose of bribing Lord Cornbury, then Governor, to do justice to the people, was probably the widow of Francis Borden.—*Austin*, as cited; *Hist. Burlington and Mercer Counties*, 454; *N. J. Archives*, III., 214; *Shrewsbury Friends' Records*. Many references to Francis Borden are to be found in N. J. Archives, XXI. In the early records this name usually appears as Burden or Burdein.

The children of Francis Borden and Jane Vicars were (all b. at Shrewsbury):

i. Richard[3], b. 11th of 2d mo., ——.

ii. Francis[3], b. 1st of 9th mo., ——; m. Mary ——. Their children (b. in Shrewsbury) were: i. Elizabeth, b. 6th of 5th m., 1707; ii. Jane, b. 7th of 6th mo., 1708; iii. Frances, b. 24th of 12th mo., 1709-10; iv. John, b. 23d of 11th mo., 1710-11; v. Ancy (? Amy), b. 6th of 12th mo., 1714; vi. Mary, b. 21st of 6th mo., 1717; vii. Thomas, b. 27th of 4th mo., 1719; viii. Jeoms, b. 4th of 8th mo., 1722.

iii. Joyce[3], b. 4th of 4th mo., 168—; m. John Hance, junior. Issue: i. Joseph; ii. John, named in the will of Francis Borden. Perhaps others.

iv. Thomas[3], b. 4th of 12th mo., 1684.

3. BENJAMIN[2] BORDEN married Abigail Grover (dau. of James Grover, senior, of Middletown), Sept. 22, 1670. He probably removed from Portsmouth, R. I., soon after making the purchase of lands in Shrewsbury, in 1665, and settled at the latter place, being allotted Lot No. 29 of "the lotts of Middleton," Dec. 30, 1667, and the next day Lot No. 23, in "the lotts that are in the Poplar feild and the mountany feild."—*Town Book of Old Middletown*, 1. He was allowed, April 9, 1670, to take up nine acres elsewhere in lieu of Lot No. 23, "considering the badnes of it being throwne up to make good some other lotts."—*Ib.*, 10. He was admitted, July 8, 1670, as one of the associate patentees. He contributed £6 toward the purchase, and was allotted one share. The court was held at his house in Shrewsbury, in 1676. He was a Justice of the Peace in 1685. In 1692 and 1694 he was elected to the Assembly from Middletown, and in 1695 and 1698 as one of the six members from Monmouth county. In 1693 he was appointed by act of the Assembly to be one of the Road Commissioners for Monmouth County, a position he still held in 1711. He was one of three men "legally Chosen (Jan. 1, 1695-6) to meet the men of the other towns of the County to Assess . . . . the tax or Rate that is to be Raised for the Support of the Government," to which office (corresponding with the "chosen freeholder" of to-day) he was re-elected in 1697-8.—*Town Book*, 32-33. The records of conveyances show that he was a large landholder; some of his purchases were as follows: Oct. 21, 1676—return of survey

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standing he commenced a small Trade, which he managed with Prudence and Integrity; but in about four or five Years it pleased God to afflict him with a severe Fit of the Asthma, which (although he got the better of at that

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for tract in the allotment of Cohanzick; 1677-8, Feb. 28—patent for same, 300 acres; he was then a weaver, of Middletown; June 20, 1677—patent for 351 acres at Middletown; Jan. 22, 1687—patent for 150 acres in Monmouth county; March 28, 1688—he was the owner of 1-20th of 1-48th of East Jersey; May 1, 1695—patent for 240 acres at Crosswicks, and 30 acres at Barnegat; Oct. 5, 1696—deed for 560 acres in Monmouth county.—*N. J. Archives*, XXI., 27, 113, 116, 235, 297, 542, 556, 566. In 1716 he appears to have been of Evesham, Burlington county, when he conveyed lands to his son Joseph, of Freehold. In 1718, being then of Auchweas, Burlington county, he conveyed lands to his son James.—*Austin*, as cited; *Old Times in Old Monmouth*, 170, 171, 207, 208, 249; *N. J. Archives*, XXI., 158-61. His children were:

Third Generation.

i. Richard[3], b. Jan. 9, 1672. Probably on account of some of the political troubles of the day, the Attorney General was directed in 1734 to file an information against him. In 1739 he was of Chester, Burlington county. In 1750 he resided at Evesham, Burlington county. He had a suit in chancery against Richard Stout, but his solicitor, John Coxe, threw up the case in a huff, saying that he could not get justice from Gov. Belcher, the Chancellor ex officio.—*N. J. Archives*, XIV., 505; XI., 580; VII., 542-3, 547.

ii. Benjamin[3], b. April 6 1675. He settled at Middletown, Monmouth county. He bought, Jan. 8, 1700, of Anthony Woodward, a tract of 1,000 acres of the great Dockwra patent, south of Arneytown.—*Hist. Burlington and Mercer Counties*, 454. When the court of sessions at Middletown, on March 25, 1701, arraigned Moses Butterworth for piracy, and he confessed that he had sailed with Capt. William Kidd on his last voyage, Benjamin Borden and his brother Richard were conspicuous among the thirty or forty men who dashed into the court room to rescue the prisoner. The two Bordens were arrested by the constables, but a hundred men quickly rallied, and they were rescued from the officers' grasp, though wounded in the melée, and the rioters turned the tables by imprisoning the Governor (Col. Andrew Hamilton), the Court, the Attorney General and the court officers for four days, in token of their contempt for the waning authority of the Proprietary Government.—*Monmouth County Records, Book of Minutes* No. 1, quoted in "Old Times in Old Monmouth," 263; *N. J. Archives*, II., 362-3. Benjamin Borden and James Borden were among the petitioners in 1701 for a Royal instead of a Proprietary Governor.—*N. J. Archives*, II., 396. He was the agent for the receipt of the Monmouth county taxes in 1705 and 1706.—*Ib.*, III., 351-2. Administration on the estate of Benjamin Borden, of Evesham township, Burlington county, yeoman, was granted June 6, 1728, to Susannah Borden, his widow. The inventory of his personal estate amounted to £222, 10, 10½.—*East Jersey Wills*, Liber 2, p. 532.

4. iii. James[3], b. Sept. 6, 1677; m. Mary ——. 6. The will of James Borden, of Freehold township, Monmouth county, is dated Dec. 23, 1727, and was proved Feb. 22, 1730-31. His personal estate was inventoried at £ 115, 16, 10.

iv. Rebecca[3], b. June 8, 1680; d. young.

v. Safety[3], b. Sept. 6, 1682.

vi. Amey[3], b. March 4, 1684.

5. vii. Joseph[3], b. May 12, 1687; d. Sept. 22, 1765.

viii. Jonathan[3], b. April 14, 1690. He was living at Chester, Burlington county, in 1739.

ix. David[3], b. March 8, 1692; d. young.

x. Samuel[3], b. April 8, 1696.

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Time) pursued him, with small Intermissions, to the Day of his Death. . . . . In those Intermissions he was remarkably chearful and sprightly, and still continued his small Trade with Success. About the Year 1735 he

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4. JAMES[3] BORDEN, b. Sept. 6, 1677; m. Mary ——. In his will he names children:

i. Richard.
ii. Innocent, m. John Bozworth, of Burlington county, marriage license dated July 13, 1734.
iii. Joseph.
iv. Phebe, prob. m. Benjamin Gardiner, of Burlington county, marriage license dated May 18, 1737.
v. Rebeckah.
vi. Abigaill.
vii. Mary.
viii. Hellen.
ix. Ann.

5. JOSEPH[3] BORDEN, m. Mary Ann ——, prior to 1716. Sailing in a coasting vessel (probably his own) from Shrewsbury, he came to Farnsworth's Landing, Burlington county, in 1719, and determined to locate there. On March 3, 1724, he bought from Samuel Farnsworth a tract of 105 acres of land on the Delaware, to which he added by subsequent purchases until he owned nearly the whole site of the future Bordentown. As early as 1722 he had become interested in the erection of a bloomary forge on Black's Creek, Burlington county. In 1724 his place on the Delaware was known as "Burden's Landing," but by 1739 it was called "Burden's Town," whence the transition to "Burdentown" and "Bordentown" was easy. Joseph Borden was appointed one of the Quorum Justices for Burlington county in 1739. In 1740 he started a "Stage Wagon to carry Passengers or Goods, between Perth-Amboy and Bordens-Town," in order to develop the latter place and make it an important point on the route from Philadelphia to New York. This stage route was kept up by him and his son Joseph for twenty years or more. He gave the site for the Friends' meeting house in 1740, and Aug. 5, 1751, conveyed to the Baptists, for a nominal consideration (£5), the site for a church and burying ground. He opened a store, and carried on a general mercantile trade many years; laid out streets, erected what was then considered a splendid mansion, and in other ways manifested a most enterprising spirit, and a confidence in the future of Bordentown.—*Hist. Burlington and Mercer Counties*, 456, 458-9; *History of Iron in All Ages*, by J. M. Swank, 2d ed., 1892, 157; *N. J. Archives*, XI., 342, 586, note; 587; XII., 22, note; 171; XV., 98.

His children were:

Fourth Generation.

i. Anna[4], m. the Rev. Joshua Potts, pastor of the Baptist Church at South Hampton, Bucks county, Pa.
6. ii. Joseph[4], b. 1719; d. April 8, 1791, in his 72d year.
iii. Rebecca[4], m. Joseph Brown, perhaps a physician near Bordentown, at whose inn Benjamin Franklin stopped in 1723 when on his journey from Boston to Philadelphia.
iv. Hannah[4], m. John Lawrence, of Monmouth, marriage license dated April 26, 1731.
v. Elizabeth[4], m. Thomas Douglass, of Monmouth, marriage license dated Jan. 9, 1734.
vi. ——[4], m. —— Clayton.
vii. ——[4], m. Thomas Potts, who bought the iron works on Black's Creek, Feb. 1, 1725

6. JOSEPH[4] BORDEN, jun. (Joseph[3], Benjamin[2], Richard[1]), b. 1719; m. Elizabeth, daughter of Marmaduke Watson; died at Bordentown, April 8, 1791. He was actively engaged from early manhood in his father's extensive business enterprises, especially the stage boat and stage wagon from Philadelphia to Perth Amboy, via Bordentown, until his advancing years caused him to retire from active life, in 1788. In 1748 tickets for a lottery for the benefit of St. Mary's Church, Burlington, were to be had from him. He was appointed a Justice of the Peace in 1749, and a Judge in 1757 and again in 1767. In 1761 he was elected to the assembly as one of the two members for Burlington county, and served until 1769, evidently occupying a conspicuous posi-

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planned and laid out this Town, which, although but small, is much larger than could have been expected, when we consider the Disadvantages its Patron lay under. About this Time he accepted of a Commission of the Peace, in which Station his greatest Enemies allowed he behaved with the utmost Prudence, and strictest Justice; and as he was esteemed for his public, so he also was for his private Worth, he being a kind Neighbour, and a sin-

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tion among his colleagues. In 1765 the Assembly elected him as one of the three deputies to represent New Jersey in the Stamp Act Congress, at New York, and he and Hendrick Fisher signed the appeal of that Congress to the King and Parliament, urging the repeal of the Act. The Assembly heartily approved of their conduct. He was chosen as one of the members of the first Provincial Congress, which met at New Brunswick, July 2, 1774, to send delegates to the Continental Congress. In the ensuing February he was selected by his fellow citizens as one of the Committee of Observation for Burlington County, and later as a member of the Provincial Congress held at Trenton in May, June and August, 1775. This body appointed him one of the Committee of Safety, which was vested with executive power during the recess of the Provincial Congress. Early in 1776 he was commissioned Colonel of the First Regiment of Burlington County militia, but he resigned, Sept. 28, 1776, when he was appointed Quartermaster, for which position his business experience and abilities rendered him peculiarly well qualified. He was appointed Judge of the Common Pleas, Sept. 11, 1776, and again Sept. 28, 1781. He was one of the promoters of the episode made famous by Francis Hopkinson in his poem on the "Battle of the Kegs," when it was designed to blow up the British vessels in the Delaware near Bordentown by a rude sort of torpedoes made of kegs filled with powder, which were sent floating down the river shortly before daylight on Jan. 7, 1778, and were expected to explode on coming in contact with the war vessels, having certain mechanical attachments to ensure such result. Unfortunately for the success of the enterprise, the vessels were hauled into their docks the night before the kegs were set loose. The British soon after raided Bordentown, and Judge Borden's handsome residence was laid waste by fire. May 10, 1778. He was liberally educated, had a fine presence, and was highly influential in the community. His widow died in 1807, in her 82d year.—*Hist. Burlington and Mercer Counties*, 467; *N. J. Archives*, XII., 442; XVI., 89; XVII., 137, 455; *N. Y. Public Library Bulletin*, I., 104; *Gordon's Hist. N. J.*, 140; *Penn. Mag. of Hist. and Biog.*, IX., 435.

Fifth Generation.

The children of Joseph Borden were:

i. Mary[5], m. Thomas McKean, of Newcastle, Del., marriage license dated July 21, 1763; d. March 12, 1773, in her 29th year. Thomas McKean was one of the Delaware Signers of the Declaration of Independence. He was elected Governor of Pennsylvania in 1799, 1802 and 1805, serving nine stormy years.

ii. Nancy[5], married Francis Hopkinson (afterwards one of the Signers of the Declaration of Independence), Sept. 1, 1768. For the announcement of the marriage, in the flowery language of the day, see N. J. Archives, X., 427, note.

iii. Joseph[5], born in 1755. He was an ardent patriot during the Revolution, being Captain of a troop of light-horse, which he raised in Burlington county. He was wounded at the battle of Germantown, in 1777, but although his injury inconvenienced him the rest of his life he repeatedly volunteered for active service when he felt he could be of use to the cause. He was a United States loan officer, and was appointed one of the commissioners to sell lands confiscated to the State for treason. He married Mary, daughter of Langhorne Biles, of Bucks county, Pa. He died Oct. 16, 1788, leaving one child, Elizabeth Borden, who married Azariah Hunt, of Hopewell, N. J.

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cere Friend; a tender Husband, and an affectionate Parent."—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1921, *October* 17, 1765.

TO be sold by the subscriber, a very fine farm of 500 acres of land, lying upon the road leading from Freehold court-house to Princetown in New-Jersey, near Cranbury, at the place formerly known by the name of the Indian Town, about 16 miles from Brunswick and Amboy, 10 from Princeton, and 4 from Cranbury town, where there is a constant market for all kinds of produce: There is on it 300 acres of cleared land in good fence, great part of which has not been tilled for many years, the timber remarkably fine, and lies so, that it may be divided into two or three farms, as the land is remarkable for wheat and grass. The subscriber also proposes to sell the estate he now lives on, near the town of Shrewsbury, consisting of a tract of about 1000 acres; the greatest part of which is already, and may be made excellent mowing ground, it bearing prodigious burthens of English grass: He intends to divide it into such lots as the purchasers and he can agree upon: There is on it a very large house, barn, stables, and other out-houses, with valuable orchards, which he will sell with such a quantity of land as can be agreed on: There is also a peach orchard, consisting of all the different choice kinds of that fruit in the known world; and as the house is situated near the famous spaw spring, it would suit extremely well a person who would keep a boarding house for the numbers that come to that spring for their healths, and might in a little time, become a considerable place of resort for people of the best fashion. It will be sold upon reasonable terms.

LEWIS MORRIS ASHFIELD[1]

[1] Lewis Morris Ashfield was a grandson of Gov. Lewis Morris. For some account of his descendents, see N. Y. Gen. & Biog. Record. XXIX., 92.

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New-Jersey, } ss. PURSUANT to an Order made by the
Monmouth, } Honorable Frederick Smyth, and John Berrian, Esqrs. two of the Judges of the Supreme Court for the Province of New-Jersey, Notice is hereby given, to all the Creditors of John Tunison, an Insolvent Debtor, confined, &c. that they appear before the said Judges, on the sixth Day of November next, at Nine o'Clock in the Forenoon at the Court-House in Burlington, to shew Cause, if any they have, why an Assignment of said Debtors Estate should not be made to such Persons as shall be appointed, and the said Debtor discharged from his Confinement, pursuant to an Act of Assembly, made this present Year, intituled, An Act for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors.

Dated October the 4th Day, 1765.

New-Jersey, } PURSUANT to an Order of the Hon-
ss. } ourable Frederick Smyth, and John Berrian, Esqrs. Judges of the Supreme Court in and for the Province of New-Jersey, upon the Petition of John West, an Insolvent Debtor, and the Major Part in Value of his Creditors; Notice is hereby given, by the said Petitioners, to all the Creditors of the said John West, to shew Cause, if any they have, before the Justices of said Court, at the Court-House in Burlington, on Wednesday the sixth Day of November next, (being the Day and Place appointed by the said Judges for that Purpose) why an Assignment of the Estate of the said John West, should not be made to Robert Ogden, Esq; and Elias Dayton, Assignees, appointed by the said Creditors, for the Use and Benefit of all the said John West's Creditors, pursuant to the Prayer of the said Petition, and the said John West, discharged from all his Debts, according to an Act of the Governor, Council, and General Assembly, passed

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in the fifth Year of his present Majesty's Reign, intituled, "An Act for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors."

Dated October 14, 1765.

IN pursuance of an Order made by Jacob Ford, and Robert Goble, Esquires, Judges of the Court of Common Pleas, for the County of Morris, and Province of East New-Jersey, upon the Petition of Elijah Gillet, and Henry Sweet, Insolvent Debtors, and sundry of their Creditors; Notice is hereby given by the said Petitioners to all their Creditors, to shew Cause, if any they have, before said Judges, at the Court-House, in Morris County, on the 31st Day of this Instant, at three o'Clock of the said Day, being the Day and Place appointed by said Judges for that Purpose, why an Assignment of the Estates of Elijah Gillet, and Henry Sweet, should not be made unto Benjamin Halsey, and Joseph Morris of the County aforesaid; why the said Henry Sweet and Elijah Gillet, be not thereupon discharged according to the Direction of an Act of the Governor, Council, and General Assembly of this Province, made and passed in the Fifth Year of his present Majesty's Reign, intitled, "An Act for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors."

Dated the 15th Day of this Instant October, 1765.

—*The New York Gazette or Weekly Post Boy, October* 17, 1765.

SAVANNAH (in GEORGIA) *August* 29.

We hear the following gentlemen are appointed Surveyors-general of his Majesty's Customs in North America, viz. John Temple Esq; for Newfoundland, Cape Breton, the Island in the Gulph of St. Lawrence, Nova Scotia, New Hampshire, Massachusetts-Bay, Rhode-Island, and Connecticut; Charles Stuart, Esq; for New-York,

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Canada, East and West Jersey, and Pennsylvania; Peter Randolph, Esq; for Maryland, Virginia, and North and South-Carolina; and William Randall, Esq; for Georgia, East and West-Florida, the Bahama Islands, and Jamaica.

We hear from New-Jersey, that one family in that province, had manufactured and wore as much cloth, &c. as would, by a moderate computation have cost 50l. had they purchased it. A noble example, worthy of the imitation of at least every one who lives in the country. *If one family can save the country 50l. a year, how much would 20,000 in each province save?*

BURLINGTON, October 10, 1765.

THIS is to give notice to all the creditors of Amos Willits, an insolvent debtor, imprisoned in the goal of Burlington, to appear on the 7th day of November next, before Robert Smith and Thomas Rodman, Esqrs; at Burlington, and there to shew cause, if any there be, why the said Willits shall not assign over to Ebenezer Antrum and Lott Rindyway[1] his whole estate, both real and personal, to them in trust for the benefit of his creditors in general.

ALL persons that have any demands against the estate of Messrs. REED and PETTIT, late of Philadelphia, merchants, are desired to send them in to JOSEPH REED Esqr; at Trenton, or to THOMAS WHARTON or MOOR FURMAN at Philadelphia. And all those who are any ways indebted to said REED and PETTIT, are requested immediately to make payment to the above mentioned persons, who are impowered to receive the same.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1194, *October* 24, 1765.

[1] Query: Ridgway.

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New York, October 24. On Tuesday Evening arrived the Ship Edward, Captain William Davis, in nine Weeks from London, and six Weeks and three Days from Falmouth, with whom came Mrs. Nichols, of Amboy. . . . .

To the PRINTER

SIR,

AT a time when every person, who is in the least accessary to the countenancing or forwarding that enemy of our peace (the Stamp Act) is justly rendered odious to every friend of *Liberty;* common benevolence will lead the generous mind, to prevent such a curse from falling on the innocent. Therefore it is that the Public are again troubled with the following simple detail of the proceedings of the gentlemen of the law in this colony, and the behaviour of the Chief Justice, on the occasion, which, I am sorry to say, has not been candidly given in a late publication.

The unhappy state of the whole continent in general, and some of the colonies in particular, flowing from this most extraordinary instance of ministerial influence, had determined the principal gentlemen of the profession, to obtain a general meeting of the lawyers, at Amboy, in September last, in order to consult on some necessary measures, whereby at once, to bear a public testimony against such oppressive measures, and at the same time, by easing the minds of the people, to prevent any undue and indecent behaviour to the lawful authority of the government, as far as our influence should extend.

After the gentlemen attending, had taken their seats, (a president being chose) the nature of the act was opened, together with a state of the colonies, and the effect it would naturally produce in them. They then proceeded to a free discussion of every point worthy of observation; and on the whole, the following question was stated, and

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put to vote: "Whether, if the stamps should arrive in the province, the gentlemen present (as lawyers) would make use of them for any purpose, or under any circumstances whatever? It gives me pleasure to say (as it must to every lover of his country) that it was carried in the negative, without a dissenting voice: And a number of the gentlemen, respectively undertook to answer for the greatest part of the absent members.

This was the whole of the transaction on this day: But the next day the Chief Justice requested the attendance of all the practitioners, on some matters he was desirous of laying before them: When assembled, his Honour informed them, "that he would be glad of their advice on a few questions he had to propose," but first informed them, that he had heard it was reported, "that he had solicited, and endeavoured to obtain the office of stamp distributor for the colony." In answer to which he observed, that the impropriety of such a step in him, was a sufficient testimony of the falsity of the report: but in order to settle the matter, he declared, upon his honour, that he had neither directly or indirectly, solicited, or any ways attempted to obtain that office, which he hoped would satisfy them, as well as the inhabitants of the colony, on this subject. He then proposed the following questions: "Whether if the stamp paper was ready to be distributed at Burlington, by the first of November, they would take the trouble of sending there for them?" Each gentleman present gave his answer separately, but all to the following purpose: "That they would by no means do any thing that should bear the appearance of opposition to the rightful authority of the government; yet as it was in their choice to use the stamps or refuse them, they would entirely give up the advantage arising from their profession, rather than join in enslaving their country." The

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next question was, "As the act pointed out the Governor and Chief Justice, as persons to whom the distributor was to be accountable; if the Governor should insist on the Chief Justice's taking the burden of that office of distributor upon him; whether it would be consistent with his duty and interest to accept it?" To which it was unanimously agreed, that there was no words in the act that gave the Governor the least authority to appoint such an officer; and if there was that the Chief Justice should be the last man to accept it, as it would be the direct means to render him odious to the people, and uncomfortable in his administration.

On this the Chief Justice applauding the coolness of these deliberations, and recommending peaceable measures as the most likely means of obtaining a repeal of this act, returned them his thanks for their kindness, and dismissed them. The whole of the Chief Justice's behaviour, being evidently in confidence, treating those gentlemen as his private friends, I was much surprised to find these questions made public, especially in the form they have appeared to the world, tending obliquely to charge the Chief Justice with endeavouring to solicit an office, so detestable to all the colonies. I therefore could do no less in justice to every one concerned, than to give this plain state of the matter, that every fact might have its due weight.[1]

New-Jersey, Oct. 1765. A. LAWYER.

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[1] See Field's Provincial Courts of N. J., 159-162.

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Hunterdon County, ss. October 20, 1765.

PURSUANT to an Act of General Assembly, lately passed, intituled "An Act for the Relief of insolvent Debtors," Christopher Leverton, an insolvent Debtor, now confined in Trenton Goal, hereby gives Notice, that he intends to take the Benefit of the said Act, in order to his Discharge; and the Judges of the Inferior Court of Common Pleas, for the County aforesaid, have appointed Saturday, the 16th Day of November next, for the Creditors of the above insolvent Debtor to meet at the House of Richard Cox, Innkeeper, at Trenton, at 3 o'Clock in the Afternoon, to shew Cause, if any they have, why an Assignment of the said Debtor's Estate should not be made, and the said Debtor discharged, according to the Form

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and Effect of the said Act.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1922, *October* 24, 1765.

Hunterdon County, ss. Trenton, October 26, 1765.

PURSUANT to an Act of General Assembly, lately passed, intituled, "An Act for the Relief of insolvent Debtors," Robert Rutherford,[1] and Hugh M'Can, now confined in Trenton Goal, hereby give Notice, that they intend to take the Benefit of the said Act, in order to their Discharge; and the Judges of the Supream Court for the Province of East and West New Jersey, have appointed Tuesday, the 26th Day of November next, for the Creditors of the above insolvent Debtors to meet at the City of Perth-Amboy, to shew Cause, if any they have, why an Assignment of the said Debtors Estates should not be made, and said Debtors discharged, according to the Form and Effect of the said Act, &c.

Hunterdon County, ss. October 28, 1765

PURSUANT to an Order of the Judges of the inferior Court of Common Pleas, for the County of Hunterdon, Notice is hereby given to all the Creditors of Joseph Skirm, that on the Petition of the said Skirm, with the major Part in Value of his Creditors to the Judges aforesaid, the 20th Day of November is appointed for the Creditors of the said Skirm to meet at the House of Richard Cox, Innkeeper, in Trenton, to shew Cause, if any they have, why an Assignment of the said Debtor's Estate should not be made, and the said Debtor discharged, agreeable to the late Act of Assembly, made and provided for that Purpose.

New Jersey, ss.

PURSUANT to an Order of the Hon. Frederick Smith,

[1] For sketch of Robert Rutherford, see N. J. Archives, XX., 168.

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Esq; Chief Justice, and the Hon. John Berrian, one of his Associates, Justices of the Supream Court of Judicature, in and for the Province of New-Jersey, upon the Petition of Benjamin Severns, an insolvent Debtor, Notice is hereby given by the said Petitioner to all his Creditors, to shew Cause, if any they have, before the said Justices at Amboy, on Tuesday, the 26th Day of November next, being the Day and Place appointed for that Purpose, why an Assignment of the said Benjamin Severns's Estate should not be made to the Assignees then to be appointed for that Purpose, for the Use and Benefit of all the said Benjamin Severns's Creditors, pursuant to the Prayer of the said Petition, and the said Benjamin Severns be thereupon discharged, according to the Directions of an Act of the Governor, Council and General Assembly of the Colony of New-Jersey, made and passed at Burlington, in the Fifth Year of his present Majesty's Reign, intituled, "An Act for the Relief of insolvent Debtors."

Hunterdon County, ss. October 28, 1765.

PURSUANT to an Order of William Morris and William Clayton, Esquires, two of the Judges of the Inferior Court of Common Pleas for the County of Hunterdon, Notice is hereby given to all the Creditors of Jacob Moore and Henry Young, insolvent Debtors, now confined in the Goal of Trenton, that they appear before the said Judges on the Twentieth Day of November next, to shew Cause, if any they have, why an Assignment of the said Debtors Estates should not be made, and the said Debtors discharged, pursuant to an Act of Assembly, made at Burlington, the last Sessions, intituled, an Act for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors.

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Gloucester County, October 24, 1765.

FIVE POUNDS Reward

WHEREAS a certain Man, who calls himself Richard Cox, born in the North of England, and speaks very broad in that Dialect, is about 5 Feet 10 Inches high, well set, had on a light coloured twilled Linen Coat, a light coloured Cloth Waistcoat, a striped Shirt, an old Pair of Leather Breeches, black grey Yarn Stockings, Pinchbeck Buckles in his Shoes, wears grey Hair, tied behind, being at the House of the Subscriber, in Waterford, in the County of Gloucester, and Western Division of the Prov-

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ince of New Jersey, did, on the Night of the 22d inst. take from the Subscriber's House, 10 Pounds and an Half of Worsted, a French Buccaneer Firelock, and a large black Dog. Whoever takes up the said Richard Cox, and secures him in the common Goal of the County of Gloucester aforesaid, shall have the above Reward, paid by

HUGH MIDDLETON

Gloucester County, October 31, 1765.

WHEREAS James Whitall, late of the County of Gloucester, deceased, did purchase 200 Acres of Land of John Reading deceased, by Deed, dated the Seventh Day of June, 1701; These are to desire any Person or Persons, who have purchased any Part or Parcel of the said Land of the said James Whitall, or of his Son Job Whitall deceased, to inform James Whitall, the Grandson of the said James Whitall, and Son to the said Job Whitall, in order that he might not take up the said Land again, if already sold by either of them; which will be very kindly taken by me.

JAMES WHITALL

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Subscribers, Owners of the Marshes, called Kilcus Hook Marshes, in Lower Penn's Neck, in the County of Salem, and Province of New-Jersey, intend to Petition the Honourable House of Assembly of said Province, at their next Meeting, for an Act to enable them to bank and drain the said Marshes, and for supporting and maintaining the same. Edmund Weatherby, Charles Green, William Mecum, Allen Congelton, David Alexander.

CAME to the Plantation of Joshua Lippincott, of Evesham, in the County of Burlington, and Province of West-Jersey, on the 10th Day of August last, a young bay

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Horse, of a darkish Colour, has neither Brand nor Ear mark, paces and trots, and has a switch Tail, with some white Hairs in the Root of his Tail, about 14 Hands high, and 3 Years old last Spring; the Horse has never been fairly broke, if any at all. The Owner coming and proving his Property, paying Charges, may have him again.

JOSHUA LIPPINCOTT

October 28, 1765.

A WHITE Man was taken up, and brought to Trenton Goal, on the 24th Instant, he calls himself by the Name of John Stanforth, about 5 Feet 10 Inches high, about Fifty Years of Age; he has an Iron Collar, with two Prongs to it, about his Neck, is full faced, wears his Hair; has on a black old under Jacket, and a brown outside One, with long Trowsers; he says the Reason of the Collar being about his Neck was, that he was caught in Bed with a married Woman in New England, and was judged by two Justices to wear the same, or else be branded in the Fore head. And whereas he was brought here on Suspicion of being a Runaway Servant, any Man that has any thing to say against him, is desired to come and prove his Property before the 19th of November, or else he will be sold out for the Cost by me

GEORGE BROWN, Goal-keeper.

RUN away from the Subscriber, living in Chesterfield, Burlington County, an indented Servant Man, named Nathaniel Smith, about 5 Feet 10 Inches high; he is of a dark Complexion, and hath a down Look; has strait black Hair, a thin Visage, is very fond of strong Liquor and apt to swear; had on, when he went away, an Ozenbrigs Shirt and Trowsers, a Frock, a Pair of white Stockings, and turned Pumps, with Steel Buckles in them; a green dou-

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ble breasted Jacket, and a Calicoe Jacket both without Sleeves, and an old Beaver Hat. Whoever takes up the said Servant, and brings him to his Master, or secures him in any of his Majesty's Goals, so as his Master may have him again, shall have Three Pounds Reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by

JOSEPH NEWBOLD

N. B. All Masters of Vessels are forbid to carry off said Servant.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1923, *October* 31, 1765.

New-Brunswick, October 29, 1765.

THIS morning, on an eminence in this city, was hung the effigy of a wretch, who on a late solemn occasion, subtilly procured himself an employment, and at once shewed the wickedness and dirtiness of his head, and the vileness and rancour of his heart, by basely betraying that important trust. Papers denoting his horrid crime were affixed to his breast, and from his mouth hung labels expressing such words and sentiments, as may well be supposed to come from the lips of such an abandoned miscreant in his last moments. The Figure is to hang all day, and in the evening will be attended by all true sons of freedom, to a funeral pile erected on the common, where it will be reduced to ashes, amidst the acclamations of the beholders.

May such be the fate of every vile traitor, in whatever sphere they move! may they live despised! die unpitied! and if they are remembered, let that remembrance only increase the detestation of posterity.

This signal act of justice, (tho' we own the object almost too low for resentment) will however, we think, evince to the neighbouring colonies, that neither the dirty insinuation of pimps and pandars, nor the frowns of pow-

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er, have been as yet, able to extinguish the spirit of liberty in the province of New-Jersey.

New-Jersey, } ss.
Somerset County, }

PURSUANT to an Order of the Hon. Frederick Smyth,and John Berrian, Esqrs, Justices of the Supreme Court, of the Province of New-Jersey, upon the Petition of Andrew Leake, an Insolvent Debtor, and the major Part in Value of his Creditors, Notice is hereby given, by the said Petitioners, to all the Creditors of the said Andrew Leake, to shew cause, if any they have, before the Justices aforesaid, at the Chamber of the said Frederick Smyth, Esq; at the City of Perth-Amboy, on Tuesday the Twenty-sixth Day of November next, (being the Day and Place appointed by the Justices for that Purpose,) why an Assignment of the Estate of the said Andrew Leake, should not be made to James M'Evers, John Taylor, Jun. William Axtell, and Cornelius Low, jun. or any three of them, Assignees, appointed by the said Creditors, for the Use of all the Creditors of the said Andrew Leake; pursuant to the Prayer of the said Petition, and the said Andrew Leake, be discharged from all his Debts, according to an Act of the Governor, Council, and General Assembly, passed in the Fifth Year of the Reign of his present Majesty, George the Third, entitled, "An Act for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors."

Elizabeth-Town, October 25, 1765.

Forty Shillings Reward.

RUN-away from the subscriber, an apprentice lad named Benjamin Meeker; he is about 18 years of age, pretty tall and slim, long brown hair, squints with both eyes; had on when he went away, a light colour'd cloth coat, with yellow buttons and flash cuffs, black waistcoat and breeches, good shoes and stockings, castor

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hat half worn. Whoever takes up and secures said apprentice, shall have the above reward paid them by

WILLIAM GRAHAM

Trenton, October 26, 1765.

PURSUANT to an order of two of his majesty's judges of the supreme court for East and West New-Jersey, upon the petition of Robert Rutherford, and Hugh M'Cann, insolvent debtors, in Trenton goal, that pursuant to the late act of assembly, for the relief of insolvent debtors, they have given inventory upon oath, according to the said act; all persons who have anything to object to the discharge of the said insolvent debtors, are desired to attend at Perth-Amboy, on the 26th day of November next, and shew cause, if any they have, why an assignment of their estate should not be made, and they thereupon discharged.

ROBERT RUTHERFORD. HUGH M'CANN.

—*The New York Gazette or Weekly Post Boy, October* 31, 1765.

At a general Meeting of the Freemen, Inhabitants of the County of Essex, in New-Jersey, at the free Borough of Elizabeth, on the 25th Day of October, in the Year of our Lord 1765, being the Anniversary of the happy Accession of his present Majesty King George the Third, to the Crown of Great-Britain, &c. upon which Occasion the said Freemen unanimously, and with one Voice declared.

FIRST. That they have at all Times heretofore, and ever would bear true Allegiance to his Majesty King George the Third, and his royal Predecessors, and wished to be governed agreeable to the Laws of the Land and the British Constitution, to which they ever had, and forever most chearfully would submit.

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Secondly. That the Stamp Act, prepared for the British Colonies in America, in their Opinion, is unconstitutional; and should the same take Place, agreeable to the Tenor of it, would be a manifest Destruction and Overthrow of their long-enjoyed, boasted and invaluable Liberties and Privileges.

Thirdly. That they will, by all lawful Ways and Means, endeavour to preserve and transmit to Posterity, their Liberty and Property, in as full and ample Manner as they received the same from their Ancestors.

Fourthly. That they will discountenance and discourage by all lawful Measures, the Execution and Effect of the Stamp-Act.

Fifthly. That they will detest, abhor, and hold in the utmost Contempt, all and every Person or Persons, who shall meanly accept of any Employment or Office, relating to the Stamp Act, or shall take any Shelter or Advantage from the same; and all and every Stamp Pimp, Informer, Favourer, and Encourager of the Execution of the said Act; and that they will have no Communication with any such Person, nor speak to them on any Occasion, unless it be to inform them of their Vileness.—*Supplement New York Gazette or Weekly Post Boy, October* 31, 1765.

[In place of the regular issue of the Pennsylvania Gazette for Nov. 7, 1765, No. 1924 is one page,—on which the above extract is found,—headed] No *Stamped Paper to be had.*

NEW-YORK, October 24.

On Tuesday evening arrived the ship Edward, capt. William Davis, in nine weeks from London, and six weeks and three days from Falmouth—with whom Major Cary, of the Royal Americans, and his lady; Mr. Webb, another gentleman of the army, Mr. Kendrick, merchant,

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and Mr. Brownjohn, of this city, Mrs. Nichols, of Amboy, and two or three others came passengers; by some of whom we learn, that Sir HARRY MOORE, governor of this province, was on board the Minerva, capt. Tillet, lying at Portsmouth, and expected to sail from thence about the same time capt. Davis sailed from Falmouth, and therefore may be daily expected here.

Custom-House, Philadelphia, Entered In. Sloop Lyon, N. Coffin, from Salem.

Cleared. Sloop Polly, W. Bartlett, to Salem.

Gloucester, ss.

PURSUANT to an Act of General Assembly of New-Jersey, lately passed, intituled, "An Act for the relief of Insolvent Debtors," notice is hereby given to the creditors of Isaac Lord, an insolvent debtor, now confined in the goal of Gloucester, that the said debtor intends to take the benefit of the said act, in order to his discharge. And Thursday the Twenty first day of November next, is appointed by the Judges of the court of Common Pleas, to meet at John Rambo's, in Woodberry, to chuse assignees to receive the effects of the said debtor, or shew cause, if any they have, why the said judges should not give him the benefit of the above Act.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1195, *October* 31, 1765.

TAKEN up by the Subscriber, Two Negro Men, about five Feet eight Inches high, both new Negroes from the River Gambia. Upon examining of them, they say, they belonged to John Gardner, of North-Carolina, the Name of the particular Place they won't tell; one of them speaks a little English, the other not; they call themselves Pompey and Nero. Pompey is the largest of them, and Nero slender. They say they travelled through the Mountains from North-Carolina. The Master upon applying

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to the subscriber living in the Town of Shrewsbury, and paying the Charge he has been at, may have them.

Shrewsbury, Nov. 8, 1765. JOHN MORRIS.

WHEREAS *William Saunders,* an Insolvent Debtor, and the major Part in Value of his Creditors, have presented their Petition to us *Daniel Pierson* and *Jonathan Hampton,* Esqrs; two of the Judges of the Inferior Court of Common Pleas for the County of Essex, praying, that the Estate of the said *William Saunders,* might be delivered to *Ebenezer Tingley* and *Joseph Tingley,* to receive and dispose of the same for the Use of all the Creditors of the said *William Saunders,* and that the Benefit of a late Act of the Governor, Council and General Assembly of the Colony of *New-Jersey,* entitled, "An Act for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors," might be granted unto him the said *William Saunders.* Notice is hereby given by the Petitioners, to all the Creditors of the said *William Saunders,* that they be and appear before us the said Judges, or any two of the Judges of the said Court, at the House of *Broughton Reynolds,* at *Elizabeth-Town,* on the Ninth Day of *December* next, at three o'Clock in the Afternoon of the same Day, to shew Cause, if any they have, why the Estate of the said *William Saunders,* should not be delivered to the said *Ebenezer Tingley* and Joseph Tingley, pursuant to the Prayer of the said Petition, and the said *William Saunders,* be thereupon discharged, according to the Directions of the said Act.

DANIEL PIERSON
JONATHAN HAMPTON

Newark, Nov. 6, 1765.

To be sold on reasonable Terms:

A Very good Farm, containing Two Hundred Acres, lying in East New-Jersey, Middlesex County, in

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the Township of Cranbury, within Two Miles from the Town, where there is a constant Market for all Kinds of Produce. There is on the said Farm, a new House with three Rooms and two Fire Places, a Well of excellent Water, and an Orchard of very good Fruit. The Land is very good either for Grain or Pasture; about One Hundred and Twenty Acres are cleared and in good Fence. Twenty Acres of Swamp may be made very good Meadow, and the Remainder is well timber'd: An indisputable Title will be made to the Purchaser, by the Subscriber, of Shrewsbury, Merchant.

PETER VOORHEES

Monmouth, New-Jersey, 8th Nov. 1765.

County of Middlesex, New-Jersey } ss. PURSUANT to an Order of Stephen Skinner and Thomas Gach, Esqrs. two of the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas for the County of Middlesex; upon the Petition of John Condon an Insolvent Debtor, and the Majority of his Creditors: Notice is hereby given to all the Creditors of said John Condon, to shew Cause (if any they have) before the said Judges on the 28th Instant, November, at 2 o'Clock the same Day, at the House of Elijah Dunham, at Perth-Amboy, why an Assignment of the Estate of said John Condon, should not be made to such Persons, as shall be appointed, and the said Debtor, discharged, pursuant to an Act of Assembly made this present Year entitled, *An Act for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors.—The New York Gazette or Weekly Post Boy, November* 14, 1765.

New York, Nov. 21. We hear from New-Jersey, that circular Letters are issued out to convene the General Assembly of that Province, at Burlington, on Tuesday

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the 26th Instant.—*The New York Gazette or Weekly Post Boy, November* 21, 1765.

We are assured, that the GENERAL ASSEMBLY of the Province of New Jersey, meet at Burlington on Tuesday next, conformable to a Request made to the Governor, by the Speaker, and Nine of the Members, for that Purpose—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1926, *November* 21, 1765.

FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

BROKE out of Elizabeth Town goal, county of Essex, and province of New-Jersey, on Friday night of the 7th instant, one Thomas Gordon, a Scotchman, about six feet high, of a fair complexion, long brown hair, which he generally wears cued; had on when in goal, a snuff coloured thickset coat, a red jacket, black breeches, and white shirt. The said Gordon was confined on a king's action; and (as is supposed) after he had broke the goal, not being contented with his stolen liberty, entered thro' a window, into a bed room of the said house of confinement, broke open a chest, out of which he took and carried off with him, some money, and papers, besides other things of considerable value.

Whoever takes up said Prisoner, and delivers him to the subscriber so that he may be brought to justice shall have the above reward of five pounds, proclamation money of New-Jersey, paid by Moses Ogden,[1] Sheriff.

Borough of Elizabeth, Nov. 8th, 1765.

To be sold, in Somerset county, in New-Jersey, at Bound-Brook, about five miles from Rariton landing:

A very convenient dwelling-house, two stories high, 4 rooms on each floor, a large cellar under the whole

[1] Moses Ogden died at Elizabethtown, October 14, 1768, in his 46th year. His oldest daughter, Frances, was married in 1769, to Pierpont Edwards, son of President Jonathan Edwards, of Princeton College.

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house, a convenient kitchen adjoining thereto, large storehouse, with other out-houses, a good barn and barrack on the premises; with a large garden well planked in, good bearing fruit orchard, with about 16 acres of good intervale and mowing ground; and may if the purchaser pleases have a sufficient quantity of wood land for fire wood about a mile distant; as also a very valuable plantation, chiefly low land, contains about 130 acres, binding on Rariton river, and Middle-Creek, and joins Col. Van Horne's low land: As also a grist-mill on a tolerable good stream, and in the very heart of a good wheat country, and several other tempting conveniences, and especially for keeping store, and for erecting a fulling-mill, which is much wanted in that part, as there is none within ten or twelve miles of it, and people at this time feel the want thereof more than ever.

Whoever inclines to purchase all, or any part of the before mentioned premises, may apply to Blamue Lowzada, now living in the first mentioned house or to Hendrick Fisher, also near that place, or to Samson Simson at New-York, executors of the last will and testament of Aaron Lowzada, deceased. The purchaser may have almost what time he pleases for paying the purchase money, on giving security and paying interest for the same. They also desire all those who are indebted to the said estate, either in bond or book debt, that they will make speedy payment, and those who have any demands on said estate, that they will be pleased to send in their accounts that the same may be settled and discharged.—*The New York Gazette or Weekly Post Boy, November* 28, 1765.

To be SOLD by the Subscriber.

FOUR and a Half Acres of good drained Meadow in Wicacoa, on the Right-hand Side of the Road leading to Gloucester. The whole in good Fence, with a good Bar-

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rack thereon. For Terms of Sale enquire of JOHN KNOWLES, in Front street.

Burlington Goal, November 19, 1765

ABOUT the latter End of September last was committed to the Goal of the County of Burlington, as a Runaway, a certain Man, who calls himself John Bryan, says he belongs to one Edward Brumall, in the Town of Oxford, Talbut County,[1] and that he is a Nailer by Trade; he is about 5 Feet 3 Inches high, very much Pock-marked, and says he has altered his Dress since he left his Master. This is to give Notice to his Master, if any he has, to come and pay Charges in three Weeks from the Date hereof, otherwise he will be sold for the same, by

EPHRAIM PHILLIPS, Goaler.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1927, *November* 28, 1765.

RUN away on the Tenth of November last, from David Ogden of Newark, in East New Jersey, a Servant Man, named James Van Winkle,[2] aged 26 Years, about 5 Feet 10 Inches high, well set, something Pock-pitted in his Face, and speaks English and Low Dutch; he took with him a blue Cloth Coat, two red Vests, one Pair of Leather Breeches, two Pair of Yarn Stockings, two Ozenbrigs Shirts and a Gun. It is probable he is either gone to his Father Van Winkle, who lives in Bucks County, Pennsylvania, or to Philadelphia, with an Intent to go to Sea as a Sailor. One John Fry, lately run away from a Man of War at New York, went with him. Whoever takes up said Servant, and secures him in any of his Majesty's

[1] Maryland.

[2] Probably a grandson of Johannis Van Winkle, b. Aug. 18, 1682, at Acquackanonk, and removed about 1720 to near Springfield, whence some of his children went to New Britain, west of Elizabeth. See History of Paterson, N. J., by William Nelson, p. 95.

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Goals, so that his Master may have him again, shall have a Reward of Five Pounds, and reasonable Charges, paid by

DAVID OGDEN.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1928, *December* 5, 1765.

Tuesday last, about 2 o'clock in the afternoon, a shallop with ten persons on board, set sail from this city for Mount Holly, but about 3 o'clock the wind suddenly shifted from N. E. to W. came on a hard squal, which overset the boat at a place called Reedy-Island bar, about seven miles up the river, when five persons, viz. Edward Mullin, master of the boat and his wife, Mrs. Elizabeth Hoffman, Julia Ewing, and Mary Mc. Culloch were drowned; the other five, viz. Aaron Bryan, and his wife, John Minroe, James Parker, and James Burtiloe were saved.

THIS is to give notice to all the creditors of James Gaskell & Caleb Conroe, insolvent debtors, imprisoned in the goal of Burlington, to appear on the 29th instant at Burlington, before Robert Smith and Thomas Rodman, Esqrs; to shew cause, if any such they have, why said Gaskell and Conroe shall not assign over all and singular their estates, whether real or personal to Joseph Hewlings and Walter Reeves, intrust for the use and behalf of their creditors.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1200, *December* 5, 1765.

Hunterdon County, ss. PURSUANT to an act of general assembly of this province, instituted "an act for the relief of insolvent debtors." Notice is hereby given to the creditors of Anthony Marshal, an insolvent debtor, now confined in the goal of Trenton,

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that Friday the 20th instant, is appointed by William Morris and William Clayton, Esqrs; judges of the inferior court of common please for his discharge, when the said creditors are desired to appear, and shew cause, if any they have, why the said debtor should not have the benefit of the said act.

Trenton, Nov. 29th, 1765.

—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1200, *December* 5, 1765.

EXTRACT from the minutes of the Assembly held at Burlington, New-Jersey, November 27th, 1765.

Ordered,

That Mr. Leaming and Mr. Hoghland do wait on his Excellency, and acquaint him, that a sufficient number of members to proceed on business are met, and ready to receive any thing he may please to lay before them.

Mr. Leaming reported, That Mr. Hoghland and himself, had waited on his Excellency, according to order, who was pleased to say, that he had no particular commands of the crown, or other public business, which made a meeting of the legislature immediately necessary; but that he had, with the advice of the council, summoned the General Assembly to meet at this juncture, upon a request in writing from the speaker and nine members of the house of Representatives; and that he was now ready to receive any thing they had to communicate for the advantage of the province.

Thursday, November 28, 1765.

The House met.

The Speaker having offered to resign his seat, with the leave of the house, presented a paper, containing the reasons for the house being called, and his request to resign his seat; which being read, the house adjourn'd for an hour, to consider of the speaker's proposal.

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The house met.

And the paper offered by Mr. Speaker, being again read and considered,

Resolved, *Nemine Contradicente,*

That the said resignation be accepted; and that the said paper be entered upon the journal of this house; and the same is as follows:

Gentlemen:

THE present meeting is in consequence of an application of myself and several members of this house, to his Excellency; who was pleased at our desire to appoint it The house have now an opportunity to consider deliberately on the best methods to procure relief from the late acts of parliament; an affair of as delicate a nature, and of as much importance; as ever came before the representatives of this, or any other colony.

The Gentlemen appointed to attend at the congress at New York, will lay before you, the several addresses agreed to there; whereby you may judge, whether our joining in the general address is so likely to produce an alleviation of the burthens we so justly complain of.

I was clearly of opinion, that separate addresses from each colony, would have a greater probability of succeeding, and therefore I declined signing them; considering that as a majority of your commissioners had joined therein, the province would partake of all the benefits resulting from the general addresses; and if this house should not adopt the sentiments of the congress, they might be at liberty to make a separate application to the crown.

I am so unhappy as to find, that my conduct, which was the consequence of this opinion, formed on the most deliberate, impartial, and disinterested reasoning on the subject, has been put in an unfavorable light, and has made me the object of too general a resentment: I trust, that Providence will in due time make the rectitude of my heart, and my inviolable affection to my country, appear in a fair light to the world; and that my sole aim was the happiness of New-Jersey. But as at present there appears a great dissatisfaction at my conduct, which has spread even among some of my constituents, whom I have served many years in General Assembly, to the utmost of my abilities; I beg leave of the house to resign my seat in it; whereby my constituents may have an opportunity of sending another person in my room, who may act more agreeable to their present sentiments; tho' I am well assured, that no person can be found, who will study their welfare more sincerely, nor pursue it with more steadiness or integrity than I have done; I thank them for the confidence their frequent elections has shown they placed in me, and which I never abused; and hope, that those with whom I have differed in opinion, will have charity enough to impute it to error in judgment only, to which all men are liable. As I have fre

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quently experienced the good disposition of this house towards me, I hope they will indulge me, by accepting the resignation of my seat in the house; and with ordering this short and true account of my conduct to be entered on their Journals.

[In consequence of the above, the members proceeded to the choice of a new Speaker, and, after the usual form, unanimously chose CORTLAND SKINNER, Esq; who was conducted to, and placed in the chair accordingly.]

A Message from his Excellency by Mr. Secretary Read.

Gentlemen,

THE Secretary will lay before you a letter I have received from the Governor of Quebec, with an account of the loss sustained in the city of Montreal, by the late dreadful fire. The case of the unhappy sufferers is truly deplorable, and cannot fail exciting in every humane breast the utmost compassion Private contributions can avail but little where the loss is so very considerable Applications are therefore made to the legislatures of the several colonies, and it is not to be doubted but that from motives of good policy, as well as of religion and humanity, they will think it highly expedient to grant some relief to our fellow subjects in that province.

Burlington, Nov. 28, 1765. WILLIAM FRANKLIN.

Friday, November 29, 1765.

The House met.

Mr. Fisher, one of the committee appointed to attend the late congress, at New-York, made the following report, viz.

"Mr. Ogden, Mr. Borden and myself, being requested by a number of the members of this house, convened at the house of Mr. Sproul, in the county of Middlesex, to meet the congress then sitting at New-York; and to join in such measures as might be likely to obtain a repeal of the late acts of parliament, particularly that called the Stamp Act, did accordingly repair to New-York, and joined said congress, and came to the following conclusions.

And, first, agreed upon a set of resolves, or rather declarations, of the most essential rights of the colonies.

Secondly. In an humble and dutiful address to his majesty, and both houses of parliament; which Mr. Borden and myself, joined in signing, in behalf of this colony; and one copy was transmitted before the congress broke up, and the other gentlemen undertook to send others; which we expect they have done accordingly; and we are now ready to report the proceedings, when the house will be pleased to receive them."

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The report was immediately made, which the house considered, and approved by the following vote.

Resolved, Nemine Contradicente, That this house do approve of the proceedings of the congress at New-York ; and that the thanks of this house be given to Hendrick Fisher, and Joseph Borden, Esqrs; for their faithful and judicious discharge of the trust reposed in them.

Whereupon Mr. Speaker gave the thanks of the house to those gentlemen accordingly, being in their places.

To which the gentlemen made the following reply, delivered by Mr. Fisher.

"Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Borden and myself beg leave to assure this house, that in the trust reposed in us, we have done no more than what was our indispensable duty, and that we conceive ourselves exceedingly happy, that what we have done is so unanimously approved of by this honourable house."

Saturday November 30, 1765.

WHEREAS the late act of parliament called the Stamp Act, is found to be utterly subversive of privileges inherent and originally secured by grants and confirmations from the crown of Great Britain to the settlers of this colony, in duty therefore to ourselves, our constituents and posterity, this House think it absolutely necessary to leave the following resolves on our minutes.

1. *Resolved, Nem. Con.* That his Majesty's subjects inhabiting this province, are, from the strongest motives of duty, fidelity, and gratitude, inviolably attached to his royal person and government, and have ever shewn, and we doubt not ever will, their utmost readiness and alacrity in acceding to the constitutional requisitions of the crown, as they have been from time to time, made to this colony.

2. *Resolved, Nem. Con.* That his Majesty's liege subjects in this colony are entituled to all the inherent rights and liberties of his natural born subjects within the Kingdom of Great-Britain.

3. *Resolved, Nem. Con.* That it is inseparably essential to the freedom of a people, and the undoubted right of Englishmen, that no taxes be imposed on them but with their own consent given personally, or by their representatives.

4. *Resolved, Nem. Con.* That the people of this colony are not, and from their remote situations cannot be represented in the parliament of Great-Britain, and if the principle of taxing the colonies without their own consent should be adopted, the people here would be subjected to the taxation of two legislatures; a grievance unprecedented, and not to be thought of without the greatest anxiety.

5. *Resolved, Nem. Con.* That the only representatives of the people of this colony are persons chosen by themselves, and that no taxes ever have

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been, or can be imposed on them, agreeable to the constitution of this province, granted and confirmed by his Majesty's most gracious predecessors, but by their own legislature

6. *Resolved, Nem. Con.* That all supplies being free gifts, for the people of Great-Britain to grant to his majesty the property of this colony without their consent and being represented would be unreasonable, and render useless legislation in this colony in the most essential point.

7. *Resolved, Nem. Con.* That the profits of trade arising from this colony centering in Great Britain, eventually contribute to the supplies granted there to the crown.

8. *Resolved, Nem. Con.* That the giving unlimited power to any subject or subjects to impose what taxes they please in the colonies, under the mode of regulating the prices of stamped vellum, parchment and paper, appears to us unconstitutional, contrary to the rights of the subject, and apparently dangerous in its consequences.

9. *Resolved Nem. Con.* That any incumbrances which, in effect restrains the liberty of the press in America, is an infringement upon the subjects' liberty.

10. *Resolved, Nem. Con.* That the extension of the powers of the court of admiralty within this province, beyond its antient limit, is a violent innovation of the rights of trials by jury, a right which this house, upon the principles of their British ancestors, hold most dear and invaluable.

11. *Resolved, Nem Con.* That as the tranquility of this colony hath been interrupted through fear of the dreadful consequences of the Stamp Act, that therefore the officers of the government who go on in their offices for the good and peace of the province in the accustomed manner, while things are in their present unsettled situation, will, in the opinion of this house, be intituled to the countenance of the legislature, and it is recommended to our constituents to use what endeavours lie in their power to preserve the peace, quiet, harmony, and good order of the government, that no heats, disorders or animosities may, in the least, obstruct the united endeavours that are now strongly engaged for the repealing the act above mentioned and other acts affecting the trade of the colonies.[1]

Published by order of the House,

RICHARD SMITH, Clerk.

Ordered, That Mr. Fisher and Mr. John Lawrence do wait upon his Excellency, and in answer to his message relating to the fire at Montreal, acquaint him, that the house having met at this time upon particular and very important business, think it necessary to defer the consideration of that matter till the usual time of doing business. That the House thank his

[1] The second, third, fourth, fifth and sixth of the foregoing resolutions are identical with those similarly numbered, adopted by the Stamp Act Congress on October 19, 1765. The seventh resolution is identical with the tenth of the latter body.

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Excellency for giving them this opportunity, and having gone thro' what was immediately necessary, desire he will be pleased to dismiss them.

By order of the house.

RICHARD SMITH, Clerk.

30th of Nov.

A message from his Excellency by Mr. Secretary Read.

"Mr. Speaker.

His Excellency is in the council chamber, and requires the immediate attendance of the house."

Whereupon Mr. Speaker left the chair, and with the house went to wait upon his Excellency, who was pleased to make the following speech, and then prorogued the house to the 31st of December next, then to meet at Perth-Amboy.

Gentlemen of the Assembly.

THE concern I have for the welfare of this province, as well as a sense of my duty to the crown, will not permit me to pass over in silence the late unprecedented, irregular and unconstitutional meeting of a number of your members at Amboy. No part of my conduct since my residence among you, could, I am sure, have given the least reason to imagine, that I would any ways obstruct the channel of communication between the good people of this province and their sovereign The having recourse therefore to such an expedient was the more inexcusable, as it was entirely unnecessary. It besides gave a sanction to the villainous reports which some of the principal officers of a neighbouring proprietary government had industriously propagated with regard to me, and might, at such a juncture, have occasioned the most dangerous consequences to myself and family. I am far, however, from thinking that any of the gentlemen who were concerned in promoting the late convention, intended me any prejudice by the meeting; but a moments reflection must have convinced them there was danger of its having that tendency.

It is probable that the temper of the people at the time, might have made a meeting of their representatives necessary. But I believe there is not a man among them the least acquainted with the nature of government, who can think it was proper to violate the principles of the constitution on the occasion. Nothing but extreme necessity can ever justify such a measure. Every breach of the constitution, whether it proceeds from the crowd or the people, is, in its effects, equally destructive to the rights of both. It is the duty therefore of those who are intrusted with the government to be equally careful in guarding against encroachments from the one as the other. You must be sensible that you have now the happiness of having a prince on the throne, who would not himself infringe any of the just privileges of his people nor suffer it knowingly to be done by any of his servants. The ties of

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gratitude and justice, if there was no other consideration, should then have induced you to have avoided every invasion of his just prerogatives.

I was in hopes that, at your present meeting, you would have thought it your duty, and indeed for your credit as a house of representatives, either to have disapproved the conduct of your members who attended the convention at Amboy, or have made some apology for so illegal a procedure. This expectation prevented my saying anything to you on the subject at the opening of the sessions, but, to my great surprise, I now find that you have not thought proper to do either the one or the other.

However popular, gentlemen, you may think this extraordinary behaviour may prove with your constituents, it is my opinion that the sober discreet part of them will very soon condemn it, and the more considerate among the people will do the same when they have time to reflect, and to consider cooly their own interest. It is the remark of a very great man, "*That it is a most infallible symptom of the dangerous state of liberty, when the chief men of a free country shew a greater regard to popularity than to their own judgment.*" And numerous are the instances in history which evince the justness of this observation.

I can with truth, gentlemen, declare, that it gives me great pain to be under a necessity of finding fault with any part of your conduct. It has, however, in this instance, been so particular, that I should think myself unjustifiable both to his majesty and the people, were I not to signify my disapprobation of it. And this you may be assured I should have done by an immediate dissolution of your house, but that such is the critical situation of affairs at this time, as to render it highly improper for the province to be without the full powers of legislature.

Thus have I, gentlemen, spoke my mind freely to you, as I would wish you to do to me, if I should, by any unconstitutional act of mine, give you the like occasion. I have only to add, that I have the fullest confidence in the affections of the people of this province, which I shall not fail to cultivate by a faithful discharge of my duty to the crown, and a constant care of their rights and liberties. I trust you will do me the justice, in your respective counties, to make these my good intentions rightly understood; and that you will use your utmost endeavours to calm and heal all animosities and divisions, to support the authority of government, and to preserve the peace and good order of the province.

WILLIAM FRANKLIN.

[A writ is issued out for the election of a member for Essex, in the room of Robert Ogden, Esq; who has resigned.]

New-Jersey, the 2d of December, 1765.

"With Pleasure the Public are informed, that there is

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now a great Prospect of Business proceeding in this Province as heretofore. *Bonds* on *unstamped Paper,* being daily taken in the Prerogative-Office, on issuing Marriage Licenses."

TO be sold by way of PUBLIC VENDUE, on Thursday the 19th Day of December, at the Dwelling-House of JOHN WEST, in Elizabeth-Town, New-Jersey, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon. All the personal Estate of the said JOHN WEST; consisting of feather beds, bedding, household goods, a horse and chair, and four Negroes; the whole being delivered to us the Subscribers, for the use of all the creditors of the said JOHN WEST.

ROBERT OGDEN } Assignees.
Elias Dayton }

N. B. All the creditors of the said JOHN WEST, are desired to attend at the above place the day before the sale, in order to fix terms of said sale.

New-Jersey, }
Somerset County, Dec. 3, 1765 } ss. PURSUANT to an order of Benjamin Thomson, and Philip Van Horne, Esqrs. two of the judges of the inferior court of common pleas, held at Millstone, in the County of Somerset, aforesaid, upon the petition of Joseph Stilwell, and John Hulst, insolvent debtors, and the majority of their creditors, Notice is hereby given to the creditors of Joseph Stilwell and John Hulst, two insolvent debtors aforesaid, that they be and appear at the Court-House at Millstone, aforesaid, on the first Tuesday in January next, at two of the clock in the afternoon of the same day, to shew cause, if any they have, why an assignment of the said debtor's estates, shall not be made, and the said debtors discharged, pursuant to an Act of the General Assembly of the province aforesaid, in such case lately made and provided.—*The New York Gazette or Weekly Post Boy, December* 12, 1765.

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WHEREAS Lydia, the Wife of Daniel Van Etten, of Sandy Township, Sussex County, New-Jersey, has not behaved to her said Husband as she ought to have done: He therefore hereby gives Notice to all Persons, not to credit her on his Account, as he is determined to pay no Debts of her contracting, after the Date hereof.

October 19, 1765 DANIEL VAN ETTEN.

Salem, in New-Jersey, November 26, 1765.

A NUMBER of the Inhabitants of this County being informed, that Mr. John Hatton, of Salem, wanted to be employed as a Distributor of Stamps, they assembled here, being the Day of Quarter Sessions, and, after some Consideration about the Affair, four of them were deputed to go and wait on that Gentleman, in order to know the Truth of the Report, when he very readily signed the following Declaration, viz.

I DO solemnly declare, that I, nor any Person for me, shall not act as Stamp Master, or Distributor of Stamps, nor attempt to carry that Law into Execution in this Province, until it shall be, or appear to be, the Desire of the People generally, by their and your calling upon me publickly to execute the said Act. This Declaration, Gentlemen, I do freely and voluntarily make, and will strictly abide by.

JOHN HATTON.

—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1929, *December* 12, 1765.

WENT away from Joseph Sharp of Salem County, West Jersey, the 10th Day of November last, a Negroe Man, named Sambo, under Pretence to get a Master; he is a thick, short Fellow, limps with his Right Knee, and one of his Buttocks bigger than the other, about 40 Years of Age, talks much, and cannot count above 15; if you ask him how much 10 and 5 is, he can't tell such Ques-

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tion; he has had many Masters, and lived at Mount-Holly, when the Furnace went, with Mr. Bard; it is thought that he will endeavour to get to Philadelphia, or is gone to New York. Whoever takes up the said Negroe, and secures him in any Goal, so that his Master may have him again, shall have Three Pounds Reward; if taken in this County, or Cumberland, Forty Shillings, paid by

JOSEPH SHARP.

LONDON. It is with pleasure we can assure the public, that from a late settled correspondence from New-Jersey to England, the exorbitant price of pickled sturgeon, and other curable fish, from that quarter of the world, will be reduced in town more than cent, per cent.—*The Pennsylvania Gazette, No.* 1930, *December* 19, 1765.

The following Account of the Number of Whites and Blacks supposed capable of bearing Arms in the Colonies, is thought to be pretty just.

Nova-Scotia, and the Northern Isles, which have cost the Crown more than all the Settlement of the other Colonies,	10.000
Canada and Labradore,	30.000
Massachusetts-Bay,	70.000
New-Hampshire,	20.000
Colony of Rhode-Island,	15.000
Connecticut,	45.000
New-York,	25.000
New-Jersey,	20.000
Pennsylvania and Lower Counties,	100.000
Maryland and Virginia,	180.000
North-Carolina,	30.000
South Carolina,	45.000
Georgia and the Florida's,	10.000
The West-India Islands,	200.000
Total,	800.000

—*The New York Gazette or Weekly Post Boy, December* 19, 1765.

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LONDON.

Oct. 1. The Society for propagating the gospel in foreign parts, have been pleased to appoint the Rev. Nathaniel Evans, M. A. of Philadelphia, their missionary for the county of Gloucester, in New-Jersey, North America.—*The Pennsylvania Journal, No.* 1203, *December* 26, 1765.

Perth-Amboy, October 24th, 1765.

New-Jersey. BY virtue of several writs of *fieri facias,* to me directed, issued out of the county court of Middlesex, against the goods and chattels lands and tenements of Whitehead Leonard, at the suit of Moore Furman, and others, I have taken and seized a tract of land in the fourth ward of Perth-Amboy; containing, by estimation, 750 acres, 100 acres of which is good meadow, and more may easily be made, the whole within a mile of a good landing, and within 6 miles of Amboy-ferry, and has on it plenty of good oak and pine wood; there is also a good dam where there was a saw-mill, and also a good house and barn, of and belonging to the said Whitehead Leonard. Now these are to give notice that the said land and tenements, taken as aforesaid, will be exposed to sale, at public vendue, on Monday the 30th day of Dec. next, at the house of the widow Lott, near the premises; the said vendue to begin at 12 o'clock of the same day, at which time and place the terms and conditions of sale will be declared and made known, by me

JAMES BROOKS, Sheriff.

Perth-Amboy, October 24, 1765.

New-Jersey. BY virtue of several writs of *fieri facias,* to me directed, issued out of the supreme court of this province, against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of Thomas Leonard, at the Suit of John Van Dike, and others, I have taken and

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seized two tracts of land, containing about six hundred acres each, and one moiety or undivided half of a tract of land at South River; containing about eleven hundred acres: Also about sixty acres of salt meadow, at the Round-abouts, of and belonging to the said Thomas Leonard. Now these are to give notice, that the said tracts of land, taken as aforesaid, will be exposed to sale, at public vendue, on Tuesday the thirty-first day of December, at the house of the widow Lott, near the Premises. The said vendue to begin at eleven o'clock in the forenoon of the same day, at which time and place the terms and conditions of sale will be declared and made known, by me

JAMES BROOKS, Sheriff

N. B. If any person or persons have any demands on said lands, either by legacy or mortgage, they are desired to make them known to James Brooks, Sheriff, before the day of sale, who will take it as a great favour.

Perth-Amboy, October 27, 1765.

New-Jersey. BY virtue of a writ of *fieri facias,* to me directed, will be exposed to sale, at public vendue, on Friday the third day of January next, at twelve o'clock of the same day, at the house of Elijah Dunham, in Perth-Amboy, three lots of land in the city aforesaid, late the property of George Leslie, deceased, seized and taken in execution at the suit of Cortland and Stephen Skinner, Esqrs. administrators of William Skinner, deceased.

JAMES BROOKS, Sheriff.

Perth-Amboy, October 27, 1765.

New-Jersey. BY virtue of several writs of *fieri facias,* to me directed, issued out of the supreme court of this province, against the goods and

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chattels, lands and tenements of James Bennet, at the suit of Peter Remsen, and William Neilson, I have taken and seized a lot of land, containing, by estimation, one hundred and thirteen acres, with a house and barn thereon, and some green grain, lying within two miles of Spotswood, of and belonging to the said James Bennet. Now these are to give notice, that the said land, &c. taken as aforesaid, will be exposed to sale, at public vendue, on Saturday the fourth day of January next, on the premises. The said vendue to begin at twelve o'clock of the same day, at which time and place the terms and conditions of sale will be declared and made known, by me

JAMES BROOKS, Sheriff.

Perth-Amboy, November 5, 1765.

New-Jersey BY virtue of a writ of *fieri facias,* to me directed, issued out of the county court of Middlesex, against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements which were of Samuel Nevill, Esq; deceased, at the suit of Roger Kingland, I have taken and seized a lot of wood land, situate and lying in the South ward of Perth-Amboy; containing, by estimation, thirty five acres, being about two miles from Amboy ferry: Now these are to give notice, that the said lot of land, taken as aforesaid, will be exposed to sale at public vendue, on Monday the sixth day of January next, at the house of Robert Sproul. The said vendue to begin at twelve o'clock of the same day, at which time and place the terms and conditions of Sale will be declared and made known, by me,

JAMES BROOKS, Sheriff.

Perth-Amboy, November 6, 1765.

New-Jersey. BY virtue of several writs of *fieri facias,* to me directed, against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of Samuel Islestine, at the

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suit of Patrick Welch, and others, I have taken and seized a lot of land in the city of Perth-Amboy, on which there is a good stone house and store house, of and belonging to the said Samuel Islestine: Now these are to give notice, that the said house and premises, taken as aforesaid, will be exposed to sale, at public vendue, on Tuesday the seventh day of January next, at the house of Charles Rhodes, near the Premises. The said vendue to begin at twelve o'clock of the same day, at which time and place the terms and conditions of sale will be declared and made known, by me.

JAMES BROOKS, Sheriff

Perth-Amboy, November 23, 1765.

New-Jersey. BY virtue of a writ of *fieri facias,* to me directed, issued out of the supreme court of this province, against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements which were of John Muirhead, deceased, at the suit of the executors of Abraham Lynsen, deceased, I have taken and seized a plantation near Cranberry, containing, by estimation, 440 acres of good land, and has on it a dwelling-house and good barn, and a fine bearing young orchard, convenient to meeting, mill and market, of and belonging to the said John Muirhead, deceased: Now these are to give notice, that the said land and premises, taken as aforesaid, will be exposed to sale, at public vendue, on Friday the twenty-fourth day of January next, on the premises; the said vendue to begin at twelve o'clock of the same day, at which time and place the terms and conditions of sale will be declared and made known, by me,

JAMES BROOKS, Sheriff.

—*The New York Gazette or Weekly Post Boy, December* 26, 1765.

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To be SOLD or LETT for a Term of Years,

A HANDSOME well finished Brick House, two Stories high, four Rooms on each Floor, besides Garrets, a large dry Cellar under the whole House, properly divided; the Rooms above and below Stairs are genteelly papered, a convenient Kitchen adjoining, with Chambers for Servants, situate in King's Street, in Trenton, not far from the Falls of Delaware; the Lot contains about Three Quarters of an Acre, and extends through to Queen-street, on which are placed the Stables. Also several five Acre Lots of Meadow, Orchard, and Pasture Lands, each good of their Kind, near and convenient to the Town; as also a good House, and new large framed Barn, with 17 Acres of excellent Land, 8 Acres of which is Garden Meadow and Orchard; the Remainder good Wood Land, situate in Trenton, and seems well calculated for a Shopkeeper, or Tradesman, &c. The Purchaser may have any reasonable Time given him, for Payment of the Purchase Money, with Interest.

WILLIAM PIDGEON.

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